be won

No 61,937

A total of £22,000 is available to be won in The Times Portfolio competition today - the weekly prize of £20,000 and the daily prize of £2,000. Yesterday's daily prize was won by Mr Jeremy Page, who lives in Hersham, Walton-on-Thames. He receives £2,000. Portfolio list, page 26. Rules and how to play, back page Infor-mation Service.

Curriculum changes suggested

Children should concentrate on basic subjects for their first with special attention to science and practical learning, a govern-ment discussion document says

Reagan 'isolated from people'

Mr Water Mondale, campaigning in St Louis, made his toughest attack on President Reagan, accusing him of being the most isolated president in American history and saying he cordoned himself off from the

Campaign trail, page 5 Hospital inquiry

A public inquiry is to be held outbreak at Stanley Road hospital, Wakefield, where 27 patients have died in the past three weeks Back page

Post strike

All 355 main post offices in London will be closed on Monday as part of a union protest against plans to close 31

Japan arms

Alarmed by the Soviet military buildup in the Far East, Japan is developing a new tank, antisubmarine helicopter and radar system for its defences Page 7

Korean signals

Seoul has accepted a North Korean offer to help the floodstriken South, in the latest flurry of signals between the two halves of the divided country



Prior post

Mr James Prior, the former Northern Ireland Secretary, will become chairman of the General Electric Company, it was confirmed at the company's

Cautious Russia Moscow said Mr Gromyko's

forthcoming talks with President Reagan are at Washington's initiative. The meeting has vet to be announced in the Soviet press Page 6

Savings battle

Building societies are facing intensive competition from banks, which are devising increasingly attractive offers in the battle for deposits
Family Money, page 25

Peres promise

Minutes after being installed as Israel's new Prime Minister, Mr Shimon Peres said he would give priority to rescuing the

Lyle top man

Scotland, England and Ireland have qualified for the later stages of the Hennessy Cognac Cup golf tournament, with Sandy Lyle taking the individ-Page 28 ual prize of £4,000

Letters: On small businesses, from Mr M. Grylls, MP, acid rain, from Professor K. Mellanby; care of elderly, from Mrs G. D. Mapleson Leading articles: University grants; Airbus; Hard drugs Obitmary, page 10 Janet Gaynor, Major Peter

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Portfolio Coal talks collapse over closure of uneconomic pits

● Talks aimed at ending the pit strike ● The equivalent of 750,000 man days has collapsed after the miners insisted that been worked by officers brought into board freedom to close uneconomic pits of the police operations said • The TUC called on the coal board to resume negotiations. Accusing the board of being intransigent and difficult, it said that other unions would take supportive action if the peace process did not restart.

make the miners' dispute more

effective.
Last night it called on the

coal board to restart nego-

nations, and said that otherwise

there could be supportive action

TUC leaders expressed their

to secure a settlement and

big loss-making collieries.

terminal on the Clyde.

Life for the

wedding

day killer

By Peter Davennort

three life sentences yesterday for the wedding day killings of

Mr Basil Laitner, his wife, Avril, and their son Richard.

He was also jailed for eight years for raping Nichola Laitner, and five years for

aggravated burglary at the family's Sheffield home. Mr

Justice McNeill recommended

that Hutchinson serve a mini-

After the case, senior police officers praised Miss Laitner

who gave evidence for three and

a half hours and faced alle-gations that she had invited

Hutchinson to her house for

journey to hell and back, but

has always been honest and

truthful. She should be regarded

to court and giving evidence as

Wedding day killer, page 3

she did."

mum of 18 years in prison.

Arthur Hutchinson was given

in other industries.

they would accept no settlement giving the coalfields to support local forces, the head

• The dock strike may be called off next week. Transport and steel unions have reached agreement on the transport of coal to Ravenscraig steel works in Scotland

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

into the winter, after the latest union for the round of peace talks collapsed saying: "The board believe that the inability of the NUM to negotiate a settlement despite Union of Mineworkers and the all the efforts made by the board leading to the control of the Number of t National Coal Board agreed to is the continuing cause of the end the 30 hours of negotiations dispute." when it became clear that the miners would not accept any

Miners' leaders immediately went to Congress House for form of words giving the board talks with the TUC's "three freedom to close uneconomic wise men" - the general secretary, Mr Norman Willis, A seventh draft of criteria for the economic committee chairdeciding what is an "exhausted" man, Mr David Basnett, and a pit was rejected by union officials, and the TUC is now past chairman, Mr Ray Buckton - who have been monitoring the being involved in moves to

Talks timetable

progress of the talks on behalf of the labour movement as a

It was expected that the strong support for NUM efforts NUM would request swift activation of the mutual aid "expressed great concern about the intransigent and difficult approach taken by the NCB in pact approved at the Brighton Congress last week, which could bring power stations and steel orkers into the dispute.

Negotiations broke down There may also be a move by over five words - "in line with the TUC to restart the peace their responsibilities" – a formula designed to retain process. The strategy adopted 10 days ago links extended backing for the NUM to pressure on the coal board to go management's right to manage. The union interprets it as giving back to the bargaining table and reach a negotiated settlement which would allow the strikers the board powers to close the Mr Ian MacGregor, the coal

The miners' strike is set to go board chairman, blamed the to go back to work "with their heads held high". The coal board is also

prepared to put its case to the TUC, arguing that the latest "final" offer is a basis for a reasonable settlement and an immediate resumption of work.
Mr MacGregor said: "The
dispute is quite unnecessary,

bearing in mind the assurance given repeatedly during the discussions by the board with regard to colliery closures, and the following assurances given to all people employed in the industry:

1: A stable industry with a minimum of 100 million tonnes with the prospect of expansion as the market opportunities

compulsory redundancies;

3: Every man who wants to stay in the industry will be offered another job plus substantial transfer payments and resettleaffected by closure; 4: Improved terms under the

redundant mineworkers' payment scheme which provises redundancy terms by far the most generous in Europe: 5: 5.2 per cent wage offer on grade rates from November 1,

Continued on back page, col 2

Supply deal on Ravenscraig

Hopes rise of end to dock strike

By David Felton, Labour Correspondent The national dock strike last jobs are not going to be taken, of next week to ratify the

night appeared to be moving over by private contractors, agreement and call off the slowly towards a conclusion. The deal on agreed quotas of strike. after a renewed agreement coal supplies was struck yester-between transport and steel day between the TGWU and unions on supplies of coal to the the Steel Trades Confederation just as it appeared that the peace proposals were flounder-Ravenscraig plant in Scotland. A final decision to call off the

strike could be taken next week ing.
Under the agreement, the by dockers' leaders but that decision will hing on the outcome of a meeting in amount of coal passing through Hunterston will rise over an eight-week period from the present quota of 18,000 tonnes to the 22,500 tonnes demanded Glasgow tomorrow on the future of 12 men involved in tying up ships at the Hunterston by BSC.

The boatmen are responsible Mr John Connolly, national for berthing the ships at the docks officer of the TGWU, British Steel Corportion ter-said the union trusted the ISTC minal which handles supplies to "deliver" the quota arrangefor Ravenscraig. The Transport and General Workers' Union. which called the strike, wants from around the country is called on unions not to cross assurances that the boatmen's likely to be held by the middle official miners' picket lines.

chairman, last night issued a statement saying that "BSC's" Scottish management would be prepared to consider means by which such an arrangement can be speedily implemented". But Mr Haslam also asked for assurances from miners and rail union leaders that the agreement would be honowed.

The proposals represent a considerable climbdown by the TGWU on the question of quotas, and appear to be in ments and a meeting of contravention of last week's delegates representing dockers TUC Congress decision which

BA to review Airbus after Pan Am deal By Michael Bailey and John Lawless

British Airways is to recon- Edinburgh and Belfast is forcing

sider buying the JOU-sear Aurona A320 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 107-sear A120 after yesterday and yesterday after yesterday and yesterday after yesterday and yesterday after yesterda

BA was thought to be in the market for up to 20 A320s worth £400m last year as replacements for ageing Tridents on domestic and Euro-

pean routes.
Instead it decided to lease 16 Boeing 737s to tide it over to the late 1980s when the A320 will be flying.
Lord King said at the time

that BA was not interested in buying "paper aeroplanes". But the Pan Am order marked further progress towards an actual aeroplane and BA would be looking at it again the airline said yesterday. It will also be considering the larger 220-seat Det Supt Terry Stuart, who led the hunt for Hutchinson, said: "She has been on a A310 already in service.

"British Airways is obviously very happy that Airbus has got this order and we will be watching developments careas a national heroine for coming | fully." It is also understood that

peak demand on BA's internal flights to Manchester, Glasgow,

sider buying the 150-seat Airbus the airline to think of an A320 after yesterday's \$1 billion alternative to the 189-seater

European Airbus, it will have to choose between the 230-seat A300 version or to increase frequency of flights and use the

150-seat A320. Mr Colin Marshall, the airline's chief executive, met Airbus Industrie, the manufacturing consortium in which British Aerospace has a 20 per cent share, at Farnborough Air

Show last week. Sir Austin Pearce, of British Aerospace, said yesterday that although he did not expect an immediate order from BA, he was extremely hopeful.

"When British Aerospace decided to go into the A320, we made it conditional that it would be capable of taking the V2500 engine, because it is important for British Airways to have a Rolls Royce-powered engine," he said. Airline profits, page 2 Photograph, page 5



Mr MacGregor, with his industrial relations chief, Mr Ned Smith (top), and Mr Scargill, after talks broke down.

The pound weakened against European currencies and fell to

a record low against the dollar, closing at \$1.2630 in London

Building societies gave a warning that mortgage rates

might have to rise next week,

after a sharp drop in deposits

Meanwhile Britain's retail

prices rose 0.9 per cent in August, raising the annual

inflation rate from 4.5 per cent

in July to 5 per cent last month.

However, the rise in in-flation, which brings the retail

price index to 354.8 on a base of

1974≈100, was modest, and

mainly reflects the increase in

There has also been a

technical change in the calculation to allow for the fact that

the Building Societies Associ-

ation's recommended rate is no longer universally applied. The

Government's statisticians now use a weighted average of rates

For example, the Halifax

Building Society, which said yesterday it would decide next

Wednesday whether to raise

rates further, already charges a basic rate of 12.75 per cent

compared with a recommended

rate of 12.5 per cent.
Inflation in Britain is still

lower than it was earlier this

year, and comfortably below the

6 per cent average for the European Community.

Simon & Coated, the stock-

prokers, yesterday conceded a

"moral victory" to Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chancellor, saying

that the August price figures

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were "exceedingly good"

actually charged.

mortgage rates in August.

yesterday.

Sterling at **Durban six** wait as lowest level yet talks stall

From Ray Kennedy Durhan

The six political fugitives in the British consulate here prepared to spend a second night with their reluctant hosts as negotiations over their attempt to avoid rearrest reached dead-

Pretoria said it would not egotiste directly with the six. Mr Louis le Grange, Minister of Law and Order, hinted that he would listen to legal representatives.
Sources said South Africa

would be prepared to reconsider the terms of detention is the six signed a pledge not to indulge in acts considered an incitement to violence. Five of the six were detained

vithout charge under the Internal Security Act in August, but last Friday, a Natal judge ordered their judge ordered their because he said Mr le Grange had not properly specified the reason for their detention. Within 24 hours, the minister

issued a fresh order. The day ended with the shortest hunger strike on record. Four wives and two sisters of the six camped in the

consulate's waiting room and said they would fast until they were allowed to see their menfolk. After 45 minutes, the staff relented. • Mrs Margaret Thatcher

gave her personal assurance yesterday that the fugitives would not be evicted. But the Government said it would like them to leave and was still refusing to act as an intermediary (Our Diplomatic Corre-

Britain's athletes excel

Britain's athletes finished an excellent third behind East when he discovered a staple in a Germany and the Soviet Union new pair of socks he was in the Eight-nations tournament in Tokyo yesterday. Steve race. Cram, in the 1,500 metres, and Tim Hunchings in the 5,000 metres, were the only British winners but a string of second places enabled the team to finish ahead of the United

Cram averted possible injury wearing only shortly before the

Although the American team performance was below par, Carl Lewis gained his expected win in the 100 metres.

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causing deaths, says scientist Fitness 'experts'

By Thomson Prentice, Science Correspondent

People are dying as a result of badly prescribed exercise and there should be laws against self-appointed fitness experts who have no idea of the dangers involved, a scientist said yesterday. Exercise is a drug, it acts like a drug and has profound influence on mind and ody, said Dr Bruce Davies, of the Department of Human Kinetics at Salford University. Like a drug it should be prescribed on an individual basis following detailed examination particularly in those aged over 40, he said.

Dr Davies's views appeared

to differ from some points in a

Sports Council report on

exercise published this week which said that the elderly had the most to gain from exercise and the bazards are small for everyone in comparison with

the advantages.
"The danger of death during exercise emphasizes the need for extreme castion when prescribing programmes of vigorous leisure activity", Dr Davies said. Many people attempting to run marathous should be nowhere near the starting line. More seriously, people are dying as result of hadly prescribed exercise." In a study of the deaths of 30 joggers who ran between sevent and 105 miles per week, 19 died while jogging, six died suddely immediately after-wards and two were found dead in bed. Moreover, 73 per cent of them had severe coronary heart

"There is an argent need for legislation to stop ex-dancers and ex-sportsmen appointing themselves as experts. Many of these so-called experts have few necessary prerequisites to do this job" he said. "These people while being reasonably gifted themselves have no conception of physic-

logical variation and dangers

that surround the exercising

individual, in particular the

Dr Davies said that 350

over 40 first-time exerciser"

scribed exercise.

included irregular heart beat, high blood pressure and overweight. He recommended that everyone aged 40 or over should undergo an exercise test to facilitate individually pre-

executives, aged between 40

and 60, underwent laboratory

tests at Salford this year and

abnormalities were identified in

80 per cent of them. These

Professor Charles Galako, and orthopsedic surgeon st Manchester University, said: There are a large number of unqualified people treating sports injuries without necessary qualifications and who are

setting themselves up as ex-

and those who jog up to 80 miles a week may later suffer from damaged spines - although the contraceptive pill may help women counter the condition.

The condition involves softening of the spine Sir Roger Bannister, the

world's first sub four-minute miler, chaired the meeting on sport and health in Norwich. He said: "At no time in history have so many people been trying to run marathons or take exercise. There is a complex relationship between sport and health which needs to be better

Other reports, page 4

Belgrano attacker 'returned next day'

By Julian Haviland Political Editor

The argument between ministers and Opposition MPs about whether there was a political as well as an operational motive for sinking the Argentine cruiser General Belgrano was yesterday revived by fresh evidence about the orders given to the nuclear submarine

HMS Conqueror. A diary kept by an officer serving in the boat records that on the day after she torpedoed the Beigrano, she returned to the scene of the engagement under orders to attack the cruiser's two escorting de-

The diary also shows that although the Balgrano sank about an hour after being hit, at 4 n.m. local time on May 2,1982 the Conqueror's crew believed their target to be still floating the following day.

Mr Michael Heseltine, Secretary of State for Defence, who has agreed to be examined about the circumstances of the sinking by the Commons Select Committee on Foreign Affairs is likely to be asked whether the Conqueror was ordered back by the Prime Minister and the war Cabinet" to complete the destruction of the Belgrano and

her escort.

The material in the diary is sensitive because of the charge by Mr Tam Dalyell, Labour MF for Linlithgow, and denied by ministers, that the sinking of the Belgrano was ordered to ensure the failure of Peruvian efforts to secure a settlement between Britain and Argentine. Any such settlement would

have forestalled the British reconquest of the Falklands. while denying Britain outright victory. To the Government's critics the diary is the first evidence that the attack was pressed and

intensified after the Government by its own admission, was made aware of the Peruvian proposals. The relevant entries in the diary include one for May 3, the day after the sinking, which reads. We headed west, and at

scene of the engagement), the aim now being to have a go at the destroyers. Bouchard and Bueno. The news today is that Belgrano is still floating, but drifting without steerage." • Mr Helsetine wnet out of his way yesterday to deny that his appearance before the committee was a response to critical reports in the press (Rodney

Cowton writes). In a statement he said that on July 25 he received a letter from the committee chairman, Sir Anthony Kershaw, inviting him or such other ministers as he though appropriate to give evidence in private soon after the Commons reassembled in autuma.

"I replied on July 26. confirming that it would be my intention to attend myself on the basis proposed."



The frill of it all Lace is back in fashion for young and old

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New idea that's as old as brass The hobby of brass rubbing has become an entertaining way of recording history

Doyen of the dance

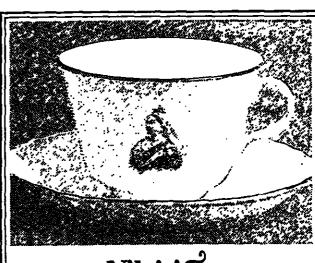
Roy Strong's tribute to Sir Frederick Ashton. former director of the Royal Ballet, on his eightieth birthday

Following the sheep trail The wool trade has left its mark in the Cotswolds Page 13



Solved: The Agatha Christie mystery Part one of a serialization of the biography which answers the writer's real-life riddles

Body blow for the noble art Why boxing is losing points in public schools



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Joseph launches first attempt to get core curriculum agreement

By Colin Hughes

The first attempt to reach national agreement on what pupils should learn in schools was launched by the Government yesterday in a discussion document which is certain to provoke fierce debate for more

Ministers suggest that all children should concentrate on a core of essential subjects in the first three years of secondary school, options should be limited, and more attention focused on science and practical

The document also questions the value of subjects such as peace studies. It emphasises that computer studies, health, environmental, and social education should be ingredients", but the report says that "issues of peace and war" might be left to "arise naturally in various parts of the curricu-

In secondary schools "there can be no question that English and mathematics should be compulsory for all pupils", as should be religious studies.

All pupils should also be introduced to all three sciences, biology, chemistry, and physics, and none should be allowed to drop "any important element of a broad science curriculum" at

40,000 classroom jobs may be lost

Nearly 40,000 teaching jobs, about a tenth of the total, could per cent of teaching jobs each be shed over the next six years year until 1991, which would without increasing class sizes, mean 24,000 fewer teachers in the Government told education six year's time, but slightly

authorities yesterday. Government plans to imThe final option is to make rove teacher quality with primary school classes larger, training and introduce new and stop providing special small aminations might however classes for less popular subjects tean that some of those in secondary schools, which achers should be kept on to could mean 48,000 fewer case the strain on schools.

Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Education and Science, Keith says, because secondary sent a consultative paper yester- school pupil numbers will reach day to local education authority a low point of 2.8m in 1991, 30 employers putting forward three per cent fewer than in 1979. options for coping with falling There are now 410,500 teachers.

pupil numbers. The paper suggests that local if the overall pupil-teacher authorities should enable a ratio is held at the January, small further drop in overall 1984, level of nearly eighteen to class sizes to leave room for one, 40,000 fewer teachers innovations, but adds: "Neverwould be needed in 1991, the theless, the education service paper says. When pupil num-cannot look to ratepayers and bers rise again more teachers taxpayers to sustain a falling could be taken on, but only pupil-teacher ratio indefinate another 10,000 by 1994.

Civil Service's loyalty lay, and

invited a conference of senior

organized by the Royal Institute

of Public Administration at

Aston University, to consider

whether a public administrator

as a constraint on arbitrary

must develop an effective role

He added: "It may be that to do so they need the support of

civil servants and academics.

In languages some of the least not allow pupils to undertake a able pupils might not study a foreign language at all, while the best would study one for at least five years and another for three

The document gives history and geography a lower priority, although both should be studied "on a worthwhile scale" during the five secondary years, and recommends teaching "the principles underlying a free society and some basic econ-

Although music, art, and drama should all be learnt at some stage in secondary school, they need not be available throughout, the document says, Ministers have, however, set themselves the ambitious aim of providing craft, design, and technology right through sec-ondary school, in a drive to foster practical skills. Home economics and games should be available for the first three years as core subjects, but optional

The discussion paper, which is being sent to all local education authorities, teaching associations, and professional bodies, says that decisions over what options to give fourth and fifth-year pupils poses the most difficult problem. "The pattern

better classroom sizes.

teachers in 1991.

The final option is to make

The paper suggests that local

Parents opt for power sharing

Parents have 20verament plans to give them a majority of seats on school governing bodies and have proposed an alternative plan for power-sharing between all groups involved in education.

programme that is insufficiently

to advance outside the curricu-

lum by developing personal qualities, "desirable modes of

behaviour", acquiring study skills, and "becoming familiar

with the broadly shared values

Primary children, while being

introduced to all the subjects

they will later pursue, should focus on language and mathematics, while gaining "insights into the adult world, including

The keynote in secondary

schools should be that study of

a subject is "sufficient to be of

lasting value", while primary schools should continue to

concentrate on stimulating

sees the proposals as the "tentative" outline for a debate,

advocacy of a narrower curricu-

Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Education and Science.

how people earn their living".

of our society".

broad or balanced", it says. Children should also be able

The National Confederation Parent-Teacher Associrepresenting 4,500 groups, says that an overall majority of parent governors "could result in dramatically worse school government" if parents used their limited Planning is needed now, Sir

> The Government published proposals last May which would give parents overall control, and is seeking res-ponses by the end of this

The confederation also fears that parents might be blamed for lack of books and equipment, leading to more parents having to pay out of their own pockets.

Civil servants' ethical function From Peter Hennessy, Birmingham Lord Scarman yesterday Britain had a "tightly-knit, system was under challenge, raised the question of where the secretive system for the efficient and the nublic wanted its

creation and fulfilment of individual grievances individu-

consistent national policy". The ally met.
Civil Service fitted "snugly into "Very real public anxiety now exists over the public administration of this country. "Nothing short of a restructuring of the public administration almost entirely political, he said, and no stronger than the and the constitution within which it operates will do the

system of Commons select committees established five Lord Scarman asked the years ago was "a very small step conference to ponder the "case towards more effective public for a written constitution understanding and control of imposing checks and balances upon the exercise of legislative Lord Scarman said that the and executive power".



"Apprentice" children with the cotton bales take a rest on their ceremonial journey

King Cotton makes a ceremonial return

The diligent proprietors of Britain's textile factory system and, thanks to finest surviving Georgian cotton mill the National Trust, survives.

yesterday celebrated the 200th anniwhich is likely to focus on his versary of the arrival of King Cotton (Tony Samstag writes).

The Organization and Content of the 5-16 Curriculum, a note by the Department of Education and Science and Welsh Office (available America's first shipment, eight free of charge from the DES, Elizabeth House, York Road, London SE1 7PH). bales and three bags of raw cotton, was confiscated by a Liverpool customs officer unable to beleive that "there is that much cotton in all America".

> Part of the shipment ultimately found its way to Samuel Greg's Quarry Bank Mill in Styal, Cheshire, one of the early water-powered cotton and spinning mills that established the

of the Scottish National Party, told the party's fiftieth annual

conference in Inverness yester-

In a strong attack on Con-servative and Labour policies,

he said that since 1979 progress-

ive cuts in Scotland's share of

public expenditure had robbed it of almost £2,000m, the most

serious area being industrial

If the proposed changes went

through, he said, Scotland could

lose up to 40 per cent of the

money provided for industrial

lands, France, and Italy a field

day in the internationally

competitive market to attract

technology and jobs from

The decision to sabota

industrial aid is political", he

and to spread what remains to cover the English Midlands. A

Labour government would do

compete for in the Midlands for

either party to worry about Scotland. The difference between Conservative and

Labour in this matter is only

abroad.

the same.

one of degree." -

development, giving the Irish tutional Republic, Belgium, The Nether-through

"There are too many votes to achieving that.

SNP chief speaks of

industrial ice age

Government cuts in the level of Scottish Development Agency

industrial grants could produce Lack of certainty over avail-an industrial ice age in Scot-land, Mr Gordon Wilson, leader industries less likely to invest.

Above all, transfer of grants

to the Midlands would create a

powerful new competitor for

mobile industry which would have advantages of proximity of markets that Scotland did not

foisted on Scotland, he said,

would have been unthinkable

10 years ago when a strong Scottish National Party meant

conference voted to campaign

for an elected Scottish consti-

independence.

After a lengthy debate, the

convention

The decision, by 246 to 238,

was against strong opposition

Mr James Sillars, former vice-

the chance of independence

Scotland was taken seriously.

About 200 digniturie, including Lord Gowrie, Minister for the Arts, were on hand yesterday to welcome the arrival by dray of replica bales at the mill. A band played them in and Mr Alec Greg, a fifth-generation descend-ent of the first British customer, took

Like their predecessors, the bicentennial bales arrived by sail, in this case, incongruously enough, the "Dar Mlodziezy" a Polish vessel competing in the Tall Ships Race to Liverpol.

The bales have been wending their ceremonial way by canal barge since early August.

Their impact was less explosive than that of the first small shipment. Between 1784 and 1841 imports of raw cotton from the United States increased from 3.500lb to 5.2 million lb.

Under the reign of King Cotton. American agriculture, the port of Liverpool, Manchester, Lancashire, the British canal and the railway systems all flourished.

They were never to recover fully from his abdication.

The Committee for Loyalisti Prisoners' Rights, in Belfast, which is running the propa-ganda campaign for the loyalist at prisoners, who want to beinstructed lawyers to begin preparing a submission to the

commission. It is expected to reach Strasbourg early next Mr Nicholas Scott the Northern Ireland Office junior Morthern Ireland or prisons of minister responsible for prisons of will meet Mr Peter Robinson is I MP for Belfast East, and seven members of the committee, at all

Loyalists' ddi

plan rights

case over

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Ulster "loyalists" are to take "! the Government to the Euro-

pean Commission on Humanes

Rights over its refutal north

introduce regregation of prigation oners at Magillian itil, co. at Londonderry, where 10 immates in

The Rev Ian Paisley, the Unionist leader,

saw officials of the commission w in Strasbourg yesterday and its later telephoned associates in the

Belfast to say they had indicated "!!

Human Rights.

An emergency meeting of the commission will be necessary as

its next scheduled session is latera:

next month. Two hunger

strikers are already in their 26th

day without food.

their willingness to consider the case before possibly referring it

are on hunger strike.

Stormont on Monday. Mr Douglas Hurd, the new M Northern Ireland Secretary of the State has ordered there to be no changes in the allocation of departmental responsibilities between his four junior minis-

The miners' strike

Police deny provoking violence

Allegations that police officers were creating confrontation in the miners' dispute were attacked as "absolutely scandalous" yesterday by Mr David Hall, Chief Constable of Humberside and head of the police

operation during the strike. Mr Hall, retiring as president of the Association of Chief Police Officers, criticized any suggestion that offences should be ignored during an industrial

He said: "To my mind there seems to be a feeling by some in relation to industrial disputes that acts of damage, obstruction and violence are not criminal

"It is the duty of the police service that where we see those offences committed they will be brought before the courts."

through that; for Scottish Mr Hall was speaking at the

end of the association's annual Mr Hall said that the police from delegates who argued that meeting in Preston, Lancashire, a convention would not speed during the miners' dispute has said. The Government wants chairman for policy, argued to cut money spent on industry that the SNP had to accept that been the central theme of

it was minority party which must engage in statecraft to win independence. A convention would be a realistic way of send aid The narrowness of the vote,

however, has left the party measily divided on the fundaof £46,000 mental issue of whether to support a halfway house which failed at the Scottish Mr Wilson said the reduction referendum - or whether to in grant would shatter the campaign directly for its raison micro-electronics strategy of the d'être of independence.

By Rupert Morris Financial help for the striking miners and their families has been coming in from Russia, Bulgaria, and many other countries both in the West and behind the Iron Curtain.
The BBC's monitoring ser-

vice at Reading confirmed yesterday that Ukranian miners had raised 50,000 roubles (£46,000) for their British counterparts as part of a substantial Soviet fund-raising

In the past few weeks, the BBC has intercepted broadcasts from Moscow State Radio calling for donations for the British miners on strike. On Monday Mr Bronislav Myakota, the Russian radio commentator, said an aid fund had been set up, and invited donations through any savings bank or branch of the state bank.

At last weeks's Trades Union Congress in Brighton, the Bulgarian unions donated a substantial sum understood to be in the region of £20,000 to the miners. This was apparently intended for the South Wales NUM, but regional officals were unable to confirm yesterday that they had received it.

Several million pounds have been raised for the miners and miners' support groups through-out Britain during the six months of the strike, but it is almost impossible to arrive at a overall figure. This is because although a certain amount is raised by the NUM nationally, more money is raised at area level, and invidual collieries have been adopted by particular

The chief constables appear officers had to be brought in to to be united in their support of supplement local forces and the figure had never fallen below 2,500. present police operations, and were encouraged by the address to them on Thursday by Mr

Mr. Hall said that policing in parts of Britain had suffered Leon Brittan, the Home Secaccordingly. Detection rates had fallen, but there was no clear Mr Hall said: "It has been pattern of rising crime. "It will suggested we are politically tied be foolish of me to say it has not and doing the Government's work. We are not concerned with the merits of this dispute. It is no part of our duty or responsibility. But if people had some detrimental effect." There had been talk that theut.

police operation meant a drift and a towards a national police force, :think they are going to achieve but Mr Hall said that the their aims by unlawful acts they present opration had shown are not going to succeed." that it was not meeded. "We The police operation would have shown the public that independent forces can deal; man with this collectively." continue for as long as it was necessary and the police presence would have been much Mr Charles McLachlan, Chief. lower if picketing had been

Constable of Nottinghamshire, who reptaces Mr Hall as association president, said that officers had tried to behave with responsibility. Allegations of was so far equivalent to 750,000 anything else were a cause of." On some days up to 7,000 concern.

Ukrainians How pit peace talks have progressed

Coal Board's closure programme has taken the following course: Mar 6: Mr Ian MacGregor,

working days.

NCB chairman, announces to unions plans to cut output over next 12 months by 4m tonnes leading to probable closure of 20 of the most uneconomic pits and loss of 20,000 jobs. Mar 23: First meeting between NCB and National Union of

Mineworkers in 11 weeks of strike. Talks at coalboard's London headquarters break down when Mr MacGregor says he has "no comment" on union demands that the closure programme be withdrawn. June 8: Two sides meet in

Edinburgh hotel with optimism expressed on progress towards agreement on closure of capacity coal board deems June 13: Changed atmosphere at reconvened meeting at hotel

near Rotherham. The 90 minute meeting ended effectively after 15 minutes when Mr Arthur Scargill asked Mr MacGregor whether he was prepared to withdraw closure programme. Mr MacGregor replied "Nope".

July 5 & 6: "Constructive" meetings held in Reubens Hotel, London as both sides

discuss new wording for dealing with closures. Board still emphasizing need to close uneconomic capacity. NUM argued that closure only acceptable after colliery is exhausted.

July 18: Further meeting at Reubens Hotel Board moved away from use of word unecon-

The peace process in the pits clause 3 (c): "The NCB and with strike called over the National NUM agree that where a recomprehensive and in-depth: investigation by their respective mining engineers shows that a colliery has no further mineable :: reserves that are workable and __ "

which can be beneficially developed, such a colliery shall developed, such a colliery shall developed. NUM submitted almost identical wording but with deletion of "beneficial". The board agreed to "re-examine" proposals and "revise" objects tives for individual areas. It also to rescinded closure threats to five and collieries, Polmaise, Herrington, ar Cortonwood, Bullcliffe Woods and Snowdown. That fell short. 2 of the NUM's demand that the ter to March 6 closure programme be at 1 withdrawn and the union continued stressing its reliance in on expansionist elements in the "?"

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September 11: Board dropped word "beneficially" from proposals and inserted that it is must be able to exercise responsible use of human and responsible use of human and financial resources". Union still or pressed for withdrawal of closure programme.

Plan for Coal.

September 12: Talks switcheding from Edinburgh to a hotel in a Selby coalfield, but suspended when both sides complain of "media harassment". Talks i move to a Doncaster industrial estate. Miners still press for withdrawal of closure pros gramme.

September 13: Feeling grows that talks will not reach early that the talks will not reach earl "exhausted" mine.

omic and inserted new key September 14: Talks collapse.

Rebel's court order extended

granted last week to a lone rebel miner will continue for another month, a judge decided yester-

A High Court injunction against the union at manted last week to a lone rebel injunction against the union at a coal board pit.

Mr Wilkinson was not privileges of membership of the privileg day.

Mr Paul Wilkinson, aged 28, has defied up to 1,500 pickets at Easington Colliery, co Durham.

The 'divorced father of two, Mr Wilkinson was the only union member working at the pit. He brought the action at the like Court in Manchester 1! barries of the like have not yet done."

Mr Tony Rumblelow, union was ordered intimidate him or "best place of work or home orders are to continue very slighty modified until October 13 to give the Durham Area union people the opportunity to file affidavit evidence, which they have not yet done."

the law and the courts which at present does not really exist in Britain in this field". Lord Scarman, who is the institute's president, said that Police chiefs get guide

on Masons By Stewart Tendler Scotland Yard's guidelines calling on policemen not to become Freemasons, or to give up their membership, have been circulated by the Home Office in the past week to all chief constables, it was dis-

closed yesterday.

Mr David Hall, who is retiring as president of the Association of Chief Police Officers, said at the end of the association's annual meeting that the guidelines had been distributed recently. But chief constables had not discussed the question of Freemasonry at Mr Hail, who has followed

the Yard's advice by suggesting that his own force in Humberside should abide by the Yard's gaidelines, said the matter was not on the agenda for the

He said the guidelines sent out by the Home Office would be considered by each chief constable individually.

Those guidelines were made public just over a week ago in London. They call on officers to avoid Freemasonry because it least a dozen might raise suspicions of blas Estonian policemen

no smoking campaign

our public administration".

this cosy system".

will of a minister.

Control of the system was

The courts were largely

excluded, and the extended

Under the plan, now being

negotiated by management and staff unions, smoking would be banned at County Hall, where 18,000 people work in depots, restaurants, and lifts. The only exceptions would be where a consensus of workers in an office agreed to allow smoking. The GLC is also planning to provide counselling for workers

who want to give up cigarettes.

From October 1, half the two first-class coaches on British Rail's Intercity 125 trains, two second-class coaches, and half the remainder of the accommodation will be reserved for non-smokers - an increase of a

Police escort

Tallinn (AP). - Dr Billy Graham preached to a congregation of about 300 Russian Orthodox worshippers in the cathedral here, watched by at least a dozen plainclothes

Pilot's brush with death

By Our Defence Correspondent

lighter had a narrow escape tower. yesterday when he made an emergency landing after hitting a 380ft communications mast

He was on a low-level flight, returning to his base in West Germany. He ran into bad weather and decided to climb,

The pilot of an RAF jaguar about 10ft from the top of the

The wing was badly damaged, but the pilot made an emergency landing at the Royal Aircraft Establishment, Bedford. He was uninjured. There will be an inquiry.

British Telecom said the

GLC plans | National Coal Board statement

The following is the text of a statement issued last night by the National Coal Board: The NCB regret that, despite By Patricia Clough
The Greater London Council yesterday announced a plan to cut down smoking on its clusion.

further lengthy discussions, they have been unable to reach agreement with the NUM to bring the dispute to a conclusion.

The board made proposals to clarify their construction of clause 3(C) of the board's discussion document of July 18 in an attempt to obtain the acceptance of the clause by the

In a draft jointly agreed note which the board tabled, they gave a specific assurance that clause 3(C) did not imply a new policy and programme with regard to uneconomic capacity. It explained that it was the board's intention, on resumption of normal working, that the previous practices adopted in the industry with regard to consultation and colliery closures should be maintained

the undertakings previously given by the board in paragraphs 1 and 2 of the discussion document, were, in the board's which view, a basis for a reasonable NCB. settlement and an immediate resumption of work.

The NUM turned down the board's proposals and reiterated their policy that closures could only take place on the grounds of exhaustion or for safety reasons. The NUM tabled amendments to the board's not on clause 3(C) which simply resterated the saind which they have take throughout the

3(C), which eliminated the use of the word "beneficially" but weather and decided to climb, microwave tower carried telebut, as he did so, a wing hit an acrial on an unmanned microwave tower at Charwelton. The wave tower at Charwelton. The acrial is thought to have been caused to the acrial.

The tower had warning lights, microwave tower carried telebut, as he did so, a wing hit an decimed exhausted where, following examination by their respective mining engineers, agreement on that paragraph too long. All the pits are open for work.



Relations.

not be justified. This attempt was also rejected by the NUM. They proposed an alternative which was unacceptable to the

At that stage paragraph 1 of the alternative clause 3(C) was agreed and the outstanding 5. A 5.25 per cent wage offer

their previous agreement with board believes it is now time for

and the talks were adjourned without fixing a date for their the dispute.

Mr Ned Smith, NCB Director of Industrial

This assurance, together with and financial resources could

another alternatibe clause 3(C) late on Wednesday night. The NUM responded with another

operations at collieries under of between £700m and £800m

After further lengthy dis-cussions the board tabled

difference was the use of the word "satisfactory" or "acceptable" in relation to continuing

Further discussion then took place on the second paragraph and the board proposed another form of words to try to reach agreement, without success. The parties agreed mutually that no further progress could be made

The board believe that the inability of the NUM to negotiate a settlement, despite all the efforts made by the board, is the continuing cause of

The dispute is quite un-necessary, bearing in mind the assurance given repeatedly during the discussions by the board with regard to colliery closures, and the following assurances given to all employed in the

1. A stable industry with a minimum of 100m tonnes (output) with the prospect of expansion as the market opportunities arise:

2. No compulsory redun-3. Every man who wants to stay in the industry will be offered another job, plus substantial transfer payments and resettlement allowances if he is local organizations.

affected by closure.

5. A 5.25 per cent wage offer on grade rates from November 1, 1983. 6. Continued high investment

4. Improved terms under the

was planned in 1984/85. In a further attempt to reach in the early hours of Thurssettlement, the board then day it was agreed to adjourn. In to inform their employees of the tabled a wholly revised clause resuming the talks today the conditions on which the industry which eliminated the use NUM said they now reneged on try can return to work. The

Mr Wilkinson was the only union member working at the pit. He brought the action at the High Court in Manchester 11 they have not yet done.

It was the first time a single miner had taken out an ordered not to deny Mr The Times overseat selling prices raids and another the Durham Area of the Durham Area of the NUM is ordered not to deny Mr The Times overseat selling prices raids another the proportion and the Durham Area of the Opportunity to file affidavit evidence, which they have not yet done. Under the injunction, the Durham Area of the NUM is ordered not to deny Mr The Times overseat selling prices raids another the Area of the Durham Area another the Durham Area of the NUM is ordered not to deny Mr Tumban Day 2.50 Supported the Price Canadad? Section 10 Section 10

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Oyaliste Wedding-day killer Hutchinson gets triple life sentence use Over Reports from Durham by Peter Davemort. Reports from Durham by Peter Davemort. Charge of the hunt, Det Stept

son was yesterday given three life sentences for the wedding day murders of Mr Basil day murders of Mr Basu in the Laitner, a solicitor, his wife on the Avril and their son Richard.

It took the jury of six mendal and six women just over four All lyrill run and six women just over hours to reach unanimous on all five charges to here is which he had pleaded not

Hunchinson, age. also jailed for eight years being found guilty of raping the family's youngest daughter, miss Nichola Laitner, aged 19, district and five years for aggravated burgiary.

judge, Mr Justice McNeill recommended be serve a minimum of 18 years.

Hutchinson, manner of the dock, prison officer in the dock, showed no sign of emotion as were delivered on the ninth day of his trial at Durham Crown Court.

He stared ahead as the judge, before sentencing him, read from a medical report which described Hutchinson as arrogant, self-centred, manipulative gant, sent-control, manager in and with an excessive interest in sexual abuse, alcohol, violence and the use of weapons".

The court had been told that Hutchinson, already on the run after escaping from custody in Selby, North Yorkshire, while awaiting committal for trial for another offence, broke into the suburb of Dore, Sheffield, on the night of October 23 last year after a wedding reception for Miss Suzame Laitner, aged 26, and optician Mr Ivor Woolfe, in a garden marquee.

The court was told that an "orgy of violence" followed. The aftermath was shown in a graphic police video tape

Hutchinson was intent on burglary and rape but instead of finding a sleeping girl in the upstairs bedroom he encounered Richard Laitner aged 28, whom he stabbed to death. As his father aged 59, rushed upstairs to investigate he too

stairs and knifed to death Mrs Laitner, a doctor aged 55, who suffered appalling injuries in the worst of the attacks. More than 26 stab wounds were found on

raped her again while she was handcuffed in the marquee, where hours earlier she had danced as a bridesmaid at her

Hutchinson of Kelso Grove Hartlepool was arrested 13 days later, after a police hunt involving nine forces which were commended for their work yesterday by the judge.

While on the run, Hutchinson boasted, in letters, a taperecording and a phone call to a newspaper of being "the Fox" but denied responsibility for the killings, saying:"I'm saying

He continued to deny the murders and at first, ever having been in the house. Later, faced with scientific evidence, he changed his story claiming that Miss Laitner had invited him back for sex after meeting him in a Sheffield pub.

It was a suggestion Miss Laitner vehemently denied when it was put to her in the witness box by Hutchinson's counsel, Mr James Stewart, QC, and although the trial jucge did not refer directly to her



Miss Nichola Laitner

1,000 offices could be closed.

Sir Ron Dearing, Post Office chairman, said: "We intiend the

change to be gradual and

Hutchinson then went down-charge of the hunt, Det Supt stairs and knifed to death Mrs Terry Stuart, later praised Miss Laitner's bravery and honesty.

He said: "Nicky has been through the most horrific ordeal for her it has been a journey to hell and back. The scene at that Then Hutchinson, raped house when I arrived was the Miss Laitner in her bedroom at most appalling in my career as a knife-point, before forcing her police officer and it was the past the body of her father. He most appalling family tragedy with the wiping out of three fine

people.
"I just hope that Nicky can rebuild something like a normal life for herself."

Mr Robin Stewart, QC, prosecuting, made an appeal in court that the Laitner family be left alone to rebuild their lives. Mr Justice McNeill said: "I am sure all the press here and elsewhere will see the good

sense of what you say". Passing sentence, the judge said there was no indication of any mental illness but Hutchinson had a severe mental disorder not amenable to

Mr Justice McNeill told him: "It seems to me in the light of that and in the public interest, I should make a recommendation of a minimum period of imprisonment of 18 years. You will be over 60 years of age if.

that period is served." The court also heard that Hutchinson had twice been convicted of unlawful sexual intercourse, in 1966 and in 1972, when he received a threeand-a-half years sentence.

In 1978 he was jailed for four ears for possessing a sawn-off shotgun with intent to endanger the life of his half-brother Mr Dino Reardon, after a domestic

Hutchinson's last outburst came from the witness box when he accused Mr Michael Barron, a reporter in the press box, of the killing. Mr Barron had visited him while he was on remand and was covering the case. The allegation, like those of Miss Laitner's drug-taking and invitation to sex were condemned by the prosecution as "wild and wicked fabri-



Murder victims Mr Basil Laitner and his wife Avril. Their son was also murdered by Hutchinson, right, pictured with ceremonial sword. Hutchinson was said to have an excessive interest in weapons.

The family

Day of celebration that turned to horror

Mr Basil Laitner and his wife Avril watched their eldest laughter Suzanne marry Ivor Woolfe then joined joined 200 guests at a reception in a marquee on the lawn of the family home in Dore, Sheffield. Hours later three members of the family were knifed to death and Nichola Laitner, then aged

Three days later many of the quests returned to the synagogue where the wedding bas taken place for the funerals of the victims of Arthur Hutchin-

Mr Laitner met Avril, a newly qualified doctor, at Sheffield Hospital in the early 1950s. They were both from Jewish immigrant families and married in July, 1954. Their

following year and Suzanne two years later. Their second son, Jonathan, drowned at the age of two in a shallow ornamental

garden pond. Suzanne went on to become a teacher. Richard, aged 28 when he was killed had qualified as a barrister and was in his fourth year of medical studies at University College London. Mr Laitner was a partner in an established firm of Sheffield solicitors and his wife a doctor with the schools' medical

service in the city. At first detectives on the case had not wanted to press rape charges against Hutchinson aware of the court ordeal it would mean for Miss Laitner but they were brought on the ce of the Director of Public Prosecutions.

The killer

Sexual arrogance led to his downfall

man with an inflated sense of his attractiveness to women. Since his teens he has drifted through jobs, marriages, affairs and periods in prison. But it was preening sexual arrogance that led to his downfall.

Even after forcing Miss Nichola Laitner to submit to intercourse he still believed her affection for him would deter her from telling the police about

A senior detective who worked on the case said: "He genuinely believed that no woman had really lived until she had made love with Arthur Hutchinson and that once they had done so they would be under his spell for good."

One of seven children, he was born 43 years ago in co

Arthur Hutchinson was a Durham. He was only seven years old when he stabbed his sister with a pair of scissors.
Four years later, he made his first court appearance for indecently assaulting a girl. He married at 18 but it lasted only three years. At the age of 22, he

received his first jail sentence for having sexual intercourse with a girl who was under age. He married again in 1968 and was divorced five years later. Each marriage produced a child, one son and one daughter, but there was a string of affairs

Hutchinson claimed his es cape from custody in Selby, where he was awaiting trial on a serious charge, was to get back to a woman in Hartlepool he met through a lonely hearts column. But he ended up in Sheffield at the Laitner house.

Jury trial free ride'

A judge said yesterday that people who elect trial by jury for minor offences, instead of by magistrates, may have to pay "very great" additional costs themselves.

"It may not necessarily be a free ride on the taxpayer ludge Lymber said at the Central Criminal Court.

He had just dealt with a £5.20 theft case which took two days and cost the taxpayer an estimated £6,000 in court time. David Brown, aged 19, a kiosk attendant of Stratford, east London, was put on probation for a year after being convicted of stealing the money

Liverpool Street, London, where he worked. Judge Lymbery told Brown that as he was now unemployed there would be no order for

rom W. H. Smith's kiosk in

Shepherds' guide returns

A guide to Lakeland sheep first published in 1818 is to be produced in its first fullyllustrated edition since 1937. The book shows ear and wool marks that identify each of the hundreds of Lakeland flocks, and therefore helps shepherds trying to sort out stray sheep.
The Shepherds' Guide is

being compiled by Geoff Brown, of Simon Kell Farm, in

Batsman banned

Kent's opening batsman. Derek Aslett, aged 26, of Dover, was yesterday fined £250 and disqualified from driving for 12 months by Bournemouth magistrates after he admitted drinking and driving.

Spittire landed

The wreckage of a Spitfire aircraft which crashed in 1943 has been recovered from the Chepstow, Gwent

Post Office stoppage plan condemned

All 355 main post offices in but conceded that more than London will close on Monday The pera one-day staff protest against plans to close 31 offices in the

The 6,500 members of the customers can be assured of 95 Communication per cent of the network for the Workers are expected to take hext three years. There will part in the one-day strike her be no departure from existing don district secretary, said: "We mmust rally the public to our. We have tried persuade the Post Office to think again, but have been ternative but to take industrial

THE post Office said it considered the action totally unnecessary and a recent review cace talkshown that there was over-proof offices in the network had. envisaged, and workers would

The union has express concern about post office plans to close offices and sub-post offices around the country because of the "catastrophic consequences" for the elderly. In spring the Post Office announced plans to invest about £100m in automation,

for butter shortage

were making "practically no butter" because of a milk shortage since the introduction of EEC traduction

offices." One of those stipulates is one office a mile. The 5 per cent of the 22,000 post offices in the network means that about 1,200 could be vulnerable. The Post Office's review showed that 1,600 of the 9,533 town sub-post offices could be considered for closure.

before it can be sold. ● The Post Office faces more private sector competition after yesterday's announcement of a 10-year deal involving Great Universal Stores, the mail order company, to establish a national parcel home delivery service

But Dairy Crest disputed (our Industrial Correspondent GUS and Lex Wilkinson, one of the country's biggest distribution companies, are to unite to provide the service. There are hopes of creating up to 400 jobs within two years.

EEC blamed

Dairy Crest, the manufacturing subsidiary of the Milk Marketing Board, disclosed vesterday that its creameries

It has rationed supplies to wholesalers and dairy firms recently, but now expects to make up the shorffall from the large stocks in intervention storage. Under EEC rules, butter placed in private interthere for a stipulated period

The shortfall in domestic supplies seems to continu fears among British dairy farmers that, by accepting the quota system, the Government has

claim by Mr John Walker, of the National Association of butter had gone up by 8p a pound because of the shortage. The price had risen by about 4p

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Cancer mistake led to couple's suicide pact

A husband who mistakenly believed his wife was dying of cancer killer her and then took his own life in a suicide pact, an inquest heard yesterday. But it was all a terrible mistake. Mrs Elsie King, aged 76, was suffering from angina and could

have been cured. In a death note read to Southwark Coroner's Court, Mr Frederick King, also aged 76 wrote: "Elsie is suffering from a terminally-ill disease. I cannot see her suffer any longer. I'm going to kill both of us." He gave her an overdose of sleeping pills and tied a plastic bag around her neck, before taking ablets and slashing his wrists The Coroner, Sir Montague

Levine, recording a verdict of inlawful killing on Mrs King The child had been riding and suicide on her husband, with her sister in Rivacre

Teenagers found guilty of causing girl's fatal fall

a catapult at a horse which then threw its girl rider to her death were found guilty of man-slaughter at Mold Crown Court,

north Wales, yesterday.

The jury took nearly three hours to find Darren McCoy, of Heswall Road, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire, and identical twins Neil and Ian Ritchie, also of Heswall Road, guilty of unlawfuly killing Michelle Buckley,

aged 13, last November.

McCoy, who fired the fatal shot and bad been told of the dangers of his cataput only days before, was sentenced to 12 months' youth custody. The twins were each sentenced to three months at a detention

entre.
The child had been riding

her horse was hit, panicked, and threw her on her head. She died four days later.

Judge David, QC, who rescinded an earlier order that the boys should not be named, said: "What you were doing that afternoon you all realized was very dangerous, and it has led to the death of a young girl".

Counsel defending McCoy said that since Miss Buckley' death, the boy had been pursued at various times by a motor car, threats had been a number of unpleasant telephone

Mr Terry Buckley, the dead girl's father, said the catapult was a terrible weapon and "should be stopped".

Airlines likely to double forecast profits

unexpected dip to 7 per cent, with the downturn in heliday

The world's largest airlines 5500m profits forecast by the international Air Transport Association (Lata) for 1984. Although this is the most heering news possible for the socid's eviation industry, after live years of losses totalling

may from having a soundly Profits of Sib, after interest sayments on new aircraft loans, as that they will have d a return of a little more than 2 per cent on a And there are consider

lib, the airlines are still a long

ars that an increase in the mber of seats being put on 17 market by late's 134 ber airlines, as they chase

number of passengers flying intenationally this year will be almost matched by extra seat capacity. But it has also been warning carriers that, if they scramble to add extra flights to

analysis expect it to produce one of the best profit returns, because of the way it has pruned expenses over the past Doctors resort to jargon

when they fail

to diagnose an illness

Brain team explores learning by play

games centre, which is a cross between an amusement arcade and a science museum, was described to the association.

Professor Richard Gregory, originator of the idea and director of the Brain and Perception Laboratory at Bristol University, calls it an

The first is expected to open in Bristol in 1986. Professor Gregory accompanied his explanation with demonstrations of some of the machines already built. Those include games resembling table tennis and billiards; toys like miniature race tracks; and photographic tricks for creating optical

Young designers have modified games and toys so that young people can learn about some of the phenomena of the world about them while they play with the equipment.

Professor Gregory empha-sized the importance of hands on" learning through play, both for children and adults. It gave them enough time to experience fascinating and strange behav-iour in simple experiments which they could control, he

Anyone who wished to play about and discover, say, the gyroscopes could do so through personal experience.

It would be possible to discover how simple and University is a victim of cuts in government support for set up a joint project. He said scientific research. It needed "But I suspect that, after laying complex products or technology work: for example, how keys £70,000 to continue its work in a firm scientific foundation turn or fail to turn locks; how retrieving protein molecules over 20 years and now being at from fossil teeth and bones. television pictures are built up from radio signals; or what happens inside the electric motor of a refrigerator.

Without an Exploratory, there were many things that people would never have the chance of experi-encing, he added.

Professor Gregory said for-mal education and learning indirectly from other people? experiences meant there had to be many generalizations.

Ideas such as rules and laws. which a teacher might try to impart, were "abstract". They were not available as objects for sensory perception, but only as objects to discover by more or

for investigating Claims into the Paranormal revealed the

secret of his simplest trick in a

display of spoon bending and

Mr James Randi, a pro-

fessional conjurer from the

United States balanced a pencil

on a table so that half of it

jutted out into space. After appropriate mumbo jumbo and

gesticulation, the pencil gently

swung round until it lay parallel to the table edge.

in vain how it might have been done. Was a magnet pinned to

the magician's watch strap? Had an invisible fibre been

Mr Randi revealed that the

solution was much simpler. While talking to distract his audience, he had blown on the

table some distance from the

delay before the pencil turned.

moment, but it gave the illusion

It took a fraction of a

Three women whose foreign

husbands were refused per-

mission to live with them in

Britain will be the subjectof test

cases on Britaon's immigration

rules to be heard by the European Court of Human

Rights on September 25. The rules have been changed

since the applications were lodged. Two of the husbands

have now been granted indefi-

and the third has been told he

any case, outside the scope of

the European Convention on

Rights, which vets cases going to the court, has already decided

The Commission for Human

Human Rights.

will be allowed to join his wife.

nite leave to remain in Britain.

attached by sleight of hand?

Iminent scientists suggested

A consultant psychologist described the euphemisms doctors use when they cannot make

victim to cuts

The break-up of one of the where they know results can be

research groups in Britain was neck of the woods, but are in

The group from Reading the market".

Halstead, the group's leader was rewards but the Japanese'

Magician demonstrates the art of remote control

a diagnosis. He mentioned phrases such as "pyrexia fever of unknown origin", "PUO" in its acronym form on certificates, which means: "The patient has a high temperature but I don't know

Similarly, "non-specific in-flammatory bowel syndrome" covered a baffling constellation symptoms to do with bouts of "guts ache", Professor Stuart Lewis, of Queens University Medical School, Belfast, said.

He also referred to a survey general practice which showed that at any one time one per cent of patients were hospital in-patients. Three per cent were under out-patient care and 16 per cent showed symptoms of an illness under the direct care of the family

most successful

announced yesterday.

As soon as the likely break-up

became known, Dr Beverly

offered a post at Kyoto Univer-

sity, in Japan.
Just before Dr Halstead

presented a paper on advances

made in his laboratory, he

announced that he had accepted

He said: "Because ours is an

area of research that is not yet

part of the well established field.

but rather breaking new ground.

our application for support has

"Grant-awarding authorities.

the Japanese offer.

had a mixed reception.

with conditions which were really reflecting a disturbed Reports from Norwich emotional state. by Pearce Wright Professor Lewis said that if

and Thomson Prentice the conclusions of that research were correct, it should be possible to predict the groups of More than 50 per cent had symptoms of illness, but took a people in which a high incifamily remedy or a folk cure, or went to the chemist for advice. dence of stress-related abdominal illnesses could be expected. A preliminary study of a

the way patients with unexplained abdominal pain, or guts ache of undiagnosable origin", as he calls it, are treated. The condition is sixth on the list of the most frequent reasons for which women are admitted to hospital and tenth on the list for men.

the 'taking-a-long-shot' end of

Dr Halstead said he was to

The advances which have

been made should have appli-

in tracing how and why

mammals ranging from those

existing 30 million years ago to

tracted from the fossils is also

That is also done by analys

being compared with periods.

The biological material ex-

Homosapiens have evolved.

away from home for the first He said that as a consequence about 8,000 healthy appendices a year, were removed from 15 The sample was small, but five of six appendix removals per cent of the women patients. made in May and June were from final-year students, and A study of the pattern of symptoms associated with five out of seven in October and abdominal pain showed some November were from first-year more likely to be connected students.

Neurologist calls for abolition of boxing

should be seriously considered because of the delayed onset of brain damage in boxers, according to a neurologist yesterday.

Dr Wolfgang Schlady, consultant lecturer in neurology at Manchester University, said the sport could no longer be

condoned.
"Under the pretence of watching an exhibition of selfdefence we are, in fact, encouraging young men to inflic injuries upon each other for professional gain which, in a fair proportion of them, will result in irreversible brain damage. We can no longer condone boxing as an athletic art which teaches the manly virtues".

Punch-drunk boxers slurred speech unsteady gait. poor memory, general clumsiness, and may be impotent, insomniac and have deteriorating vision.

Wives often commented of

their untidiness and slovenli-ness in dress. They frequently fell over and some of them eventually become so unsteady that they could not wall unaided.

Radiological studies had shown atrophy of the brain and other changes similar to such conditions as senile dementia. But the onset of brain damage was often delayed for more than

15 years, he said. "In view of this delay, regular medical check-ups in boxers can no longer be considered sufficient and abolition of the sport should now be seriously considered." He pointed out that the British Medical Association had launched a campaign to ban professional boxing in Britain within the next 10 years after scientific evidence.

Apart from punch-drunk boxers, Dr Schady listed some less well-known sporting syndromes. He described jockey's amnesia, footballer's migrain, and golfer's twitch.

Some jockeys developed loss of memory, unsteadiness, and behavioural disinhibtion as the cumulative effects of frequent concussive head injuries during long careers.

Footballer's migraine, caused by heading the ball, threatened some players' careers.

Supermarkets'

buying power

'harming trade"

Some of the trading practices

Tesco, and Asda, so far from

benefiting shoppers were

against the public interest, Mr

Barry Skipper, chief executive of the food distribution division

Addressing the conference's

agricultural section. Mr Skipper

said it was well known that

multiple grocers than they gave

to others because, if they did-

not, their products would not be

Sainsbury, Tesco, and Asda are to the fore in particular in forcing other retailers to close",

That was partly because they were better retailers, but it was

also because their buyers were

in a position to apply sanctions

that over most of the land

already suffered irreparable

Younger for, in particular, approving the extraction of peat

from Duich Moss, an inter-

nationally important waterfowl

site on Islay; allowing the planting of conifers on Creag

Meagaidh; and for the "irres-ponsible" issuing of licences to

shoot barnacle geese.

The letter also refers to the

hostility allegedly shown to the

Nature Conservancy Council in several parts of Scotland. In

Orkney effigies of local conservancy staff have been hanged.

surface of the United Kingdom.

against wholesalers.

"There is no question that

stocked.

RSPB says Scots trail on

conservation record

By John Young, Agriculture Correspondent

Protection of Birds has written there is insufficient recognition

expressing growing concern in Scotland as much as else-"what it considers" to be his where, nature conservation has

The Royal Society for the "Nevertheless, we consider that

of Booker McConnell, said.

Research group falls Peace class guidelines proposed

student population, covering four years, predicted that in

May and June a high incidence would occur among final-year students taking critical examin-

ations, and in October and

November among first-year students, many of whom were

Critics of peace studies in schools have conjured up a "phantom curriculum" of bias indoctrination which arouses parental fears and makes political capital, two educationists said yesterday.

Dr David Selby, director of the World Studies Teacher Training Centre, York Univertake-off, it may well not be us that will reap the scientific sity, put forward guidelines for peace education policy schools which he said, "might avoid the present polarization cations in other areas of biomedical science. The of attitudes surrounding this immediate interest, however, is

> Dr Selby said peace studies had been generally interpreted as disarmament education. Evidence of bias and indoctrination in classrooms was

He suggested that education for peace should be broadly ing the fossil record of the very understandably, put their disappearance and emergence of limited resources into areas species of animals and plants. hased and should involve cross-

Beauty cowers from the beast

Fair game? Three of the favourites (from left) Miss New York, Miss Utah and Miss

Miss America loses her innocence

This is a tale of beauty and the beast, of scandal and hypocrisy, fame, greed and money. Tonight it reaches a dramatic climax, and America will watch agog, on the edge of its chair, knowing that beauty is once again threatened by the shadow of the beast. The occasion will be that

great rite of the American utumn, the Miss America beauty contest, which for 63 vears has selected, and presented to a grateful nation, a specimen of wholesome American young womanhood, as fair of mind as she is of features and of limb - by implication, the national vestal virgin.

It is criticized, as all such parades frequently are, for exploiting young women; but it has a fixed place in calendar and affections, and is no doubt a harmless, ritual, creating innocent pleasure while gener-

ating a lot of dollars. Tonight, bgowever, there will be more than the usual interest in the contest. A record television andience of 75 million, a third of the country, is expected to watch. And, ironically the beauty who is the cause of this surge of interest will be at home. engaged in by the large multiple retailers such as Sainsbury. watching

She has already been a victim

of the beast. And what everyone wants to know is: who From Trevor Fishlock, New York will the next victim be? The beast is Mr Bob Guccione, publisher of Penthouse magazine, who, in the minds of Americans, has been very beastly indeed. Were he a character in a pantomime, he would be boosed and hissed.

Two months ago, he caused a flap by publishing nude photo-graphs of Vanessa Williams, the reigning Miss America, which had been taken two years earlier, when she was less wise in the ways of the world. Mr Guccione said he had a responsibility to his readers to publish the pictures. He put up the price of his magazine and reprinted heavily as news-stands were besieged.

lt cost Miss Williams her title. Although many people urged her not to quit, she accepted the organizers' view that the famous Miss America wholesomeness had She stepped compromised.

Her abdication became a cause célèbre, complete with leading articles, television debates and endless radio phone in programmes, with evidence of strong support and sympathy for Miss Williams, plenty of abuse for Mr Guccione and criticism by some feminists of both Penthouse and

the Miss America contest for

being aspects of the same exploitative process.

Part of the story, too, was that Miss Williams, aged 21, was the first black to win the title. It was considered she had broken a racial barrier and many blacks were proud of her.

Beauty contests are usually called pageants in America. The Miss America producers and promoters avoid the term beauty contest, and emphasized that their pageant tests brains as well as beauty. The winner gets a \$25,000 (£19,000) scholarship and \$190,000 (£77,000) from promotional

There are 51 girls in the final

Politics hit Modigliani suppliers gave, or were pressed to give, better prices to the faking game

From John Earle

Signor Angelo Froglia, a dock worker, is the latest to join what is being called in Leghorn "the game of the rolling stones". He claims to have sculpted two of the three stone heads, faked in the style of Modigliani, which were retrieved this summer from the old Tuscan port's main canal.

When the town staged an centenary of Modigliani's birth, it was decided to dredge the canal to test a legend that the artist threw some of his works in a fit of pique into the water in 1909 before moving to Paris, where he spent most of his life.

The local museum curator and the municipality were overjoyed when, in July and August, three heads were fished out in turn, and immediately pronounced them genuine. But their joy came to an abrupt end last week, when three students showed how they had made the second of the three sculptures and said they had rolled it into the water during dark.

Now Signor Froglia has claimed at a press conference that he tipped the other two heads into the canal on the night of July 14. As proof he produced a photograph of one of the heads and the promise of a video cassette showing him at

But Signor Froglia, who is 29 and describes himself as an anarchist, has been in trouble with the police as a left-wing extremist. He received a three and a half year prison sentence

Warsaw exile ploy divides the party

active political opponents into Devil's Island. The editor exile abroad have provoked a carefully phrased his argument fierce debate in Communist in a way which would be Party circles and even the persuasive to hardline Marxists. normally subdued, censored columns of newspapers.

ment's law and order committee to investigate ways of changing the penal code to accommocate the possibility of compulsory banishment for those who repeatedly violate the constitution - a device aimed at the more determined and vociferous leaders of Solidarity. It has aroused strong criticism from "liberal" members of the party, one of whom recently

to be of the smac opinion. In a short leading article signed only with his initials, Mr Zdzislaw Morawski argued that banish-ment of dissidents would backfire in propaganda terms. "The news of preliminary plans to introduce banishment as a penalty has already been used against our common dignity as a nation and a state. Would it not be better for the sake of that dignigy to give up plans which may all too easily be used to the detriment of

in 1978. He was questioned by systems as a model and strengthenin police about his claims early secondly, a country like France Solidarity of had the penalty of banishment and abroad.

The Polish Government's on its code books because of the tentative plans to send its most existence of penal colonies like

Yesterday, the newspaper printed a reply signed W.D. The writer said political opponents of General Jaruzelski. recently freed from prison under an amnesty, were taking up their old critical stance and being used in the propaganda war against Poland, "Would it really be better to condemn these people to prison again rather than sentence them 10 compulsory exile in a given country, or countries wiling to take them? Would not this kind of solution be more humanidescribed the announcement as tarian than prison, and, at the same time, more effective?" Banishment "should apply

only to a very small group.

Problems still lie just below the surface, untouched in the public debate. Would Poland find a country willing to accept
Jacek Kuron, Adam Michnik or

political malcontents? Despite the talk of France and Brazil, there are few relevant precedents in international law. What will be the response of

the political opposition if some of their number are bundled on to aircraft and flown into exile? To many, even in the Communist Party, it sounds like a sure way of creating martyrs and strengthening ties between the . Solidarity opposition at home

The Government, which at a the Government will be carring before the commission strongly contested before the insufficient regard given to the protection of valuable wildlife habitats. he adds. But the Government, in a 76hearing before the commission page submission to the court, argued that up to 2,100 husbands were affected by the argues that it was justified in introducing the rules by the need to protect the domestic The Joint Council for the rules, now says that the true Welfare of Immigrants, which figure is closer to 5,700. will represent the women, says Given the recession and high they are fraudulent because the It asks the court to declare that immigration control is, in

that the rules, introduced in ment allows in without restric-

trols curtailing entry by new decline in the numbers of heads of households, it claimed foreign husbands seeking to The submission to the court remain in Britain with their

Ban on foreign husbands goes

to human rights court

By Pat Healy, Race Relations Correspondent

three articles of the convention.

The 12-member commission

acknowledges that the Govern- wives, or to join them there.

gration for several years, and decided unanimously that the that unlimited numbers of EEC three women had been victims citizens must be allowed in of sexual discrimination beause under Community laws. men settled in Britain were free But it asserts that none of those factors has alleviated the to bring in their foreign wives, and their right to respect for family life had been violated. It high levels of unemployment decided by eleven votes to one that the women had no effective which the 1980 rules were

Mr James Randi, an American magician and anthor, demonstrating his tricks.

(Photographs: David Hodge).

tion men whose grandparents

had been born in Britain, that

emigration has exceeded immi-

designed to relieve. The new figures offered by

unemployment, the Govern-ment had been justified in and present immigration trends introducing immigration con-indicate that there will be a decline in the numbers of

"I appreciate that you have to weigh very carefully the de-mands of industry, agriculture, or forestry against those of nature conservation". he writes.

Compensation for skipper who netted sub

Mr John Green, the trawler skipper who caught an unidentimonth, has been paid compensation of more than £2,000 by

His 50ft trawler, the Joanna C, was dragged backwards and in circles for more than three hours. Finally, Mr Green, aged 28, from Exmouth, cut his nets and sailed to Brixham.

none of its submarines was to blame, but Mr Green has received a cheque from the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food which nego-tiated with the Ministry of Defence on his behalf.

BR rebuilds 16 stations in Scotland

this year and next, and cuts are to be made in commuter fares to boost traffic.

general manager for Scotland since April, is to attend the opening today of a new station at Dyce, north of Aberdeen, and will announce a further £1m investment in the Aberdeen

The talks were held in Mecca during the pilgrimage, and it is understood that Iran stations, without ticket barriers. was represented by President Khamenei, who was in Sandi Arabia ostensibly as a pilgrim.

Both Tran and Saudi Arabia

Isolated Iran turns to Saudi Arabia

From Zoriana Pysariwsky, New York share concern that the Iraqi

A series of secret high-level talks between Iran and Saudi attacks, intended as a blockade of Kharg Island, Iran's main oil Arabia over how to restrain terminal, risk foreign inter-vention in the region and East-Iraq from attacks on oil tankers in the Gulf took place earlier this mouth. The move illus-West confrontation. trates the measured yet pro-found changes taking place in The meetings were also Tehran's attitude to the four-

designed to ease tensions between Iran and Sandi Arabi, Since Saudi Arabia is Iraq's major benefactor in the Guif War and has been maligned by Iran with almost the same degree of vitriol reserved for Iraq, the talks are testimony to Iran's craving to end its isolation '

The Iranian overtures come at a time when its position has severely deteriorated on both economic and military fronts. There are also doubts about the justification for continuing 2 war in which Iran has recovered most of the territory lost to Iraq

In recent weeks Iran has sent
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signals to the United Nations
that it is ready to begin moving
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The Markings

Statue dispute minister defends decision

A Church of Scotland Minister who has resigned over a dispute involving a life-sized nude statue of Christ defended his decision as "act of faith"

The Rev Donald MacDonald resigned after the Kirk Session at St Columba's Church, St Vincent Street, Glasgow, refused to accept the figure, made by convicted killer Mr MacDonald said: "I feel

that by resigning I am keeping faith with the concept of the

Paintings for museum A grant of £45,000 from the Greenwich before the end of the

National Heritage Memorial Fund has enabled the National Maritime Museum to acquire two volumes of watercolours by Captain Edward Columbine. Captain Columbine (c1760-1811) was responsible in his

elegant drawings for some of the finest examples of British chart making of the period. As well as charts, he captured coastal views, landscapes, and ships. The collection comprises more than 150 works covering his service in the West Indies,

the Shetlands, Norway and West Africa. It will be placed on

display in the museum at

went aground and was lost. He was exonerated from blame but on his way home in 1811 he died of a fever

Woods for sale The South West Water Authority is selling 1.100 acres of woodland worth more than £1,250,000 which surrounds the Tottiford reservoir complex on the eastern fringe of Dartmoor

As for the captain, he led an

expedition in 1810 to capture

Senegal from the Napoleonic

forces. But his flagship, Solebay,

to Mr George Younger, Secretary of State for Scotland,

department's lack of support for

In contrast to a much more

positive and cooperative atti-

tude south of the border, a

disproportionate number of the

Society's difficulties are found

in Scotland, Mr Ian Presst, the Society's director, says. The

most worrying aspect is the

nature conservation.

fied submarine while fishing off the South Devon coast last the Ministry of Defence.

The Royal Navy insisted that

By Our Transport Editor

Sixteen railway stations are due to be rebuilt in Scotland

Mr Chris Green, British Rail

The emphasis is on open

and on radio signalling which cuts out signal boxes and lineside signals. Both developments make significant manpower

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Still, the core of the show is the part where the girls parade in swimsuits and high beels. Big-city sophisticates look down their noses at the event, but in middle and rurid America it is very popular and 80,000 girls enter preliminary 🧀 local contests which draw large

tonight - and this brings us back to Mr Guccione. He has been beastly enough to annonnce that one of the beauties has posed in the nude, that he has the pictures and that he will publish them if she wins.

Legal experts have been commissioned by the Govern-

a mistimed, ill-conceived warning to the opposition.

The editor of the Warsaw daily, Zycie Warszawy, appears

Poland'sgood name?"

Mr Morawski also said that precedents of France and Brazil cited by lawyers and the government spokesman were not sensible. First, Poland should not be using Western

other expelled dissidents? Most Western nations have said they will not take anyone thrown out will the legal experts find an enforceable way of expelling political maleoceans.

On the road with a travelling theatre

Reagan sticks to a safe script

far it is the most boring, dictable, non-news White use campaign trail in living ômary. It is, though, great

control and manipuon of the media by the ublican camp is tight, even by for the television net- In Nashville he honoured an cks. Even then his speeches as immutable as stone - the or jokes, same catch-words, ne cliches, same theme. An ost identical speech has n him to California, Buf-

Nashville, New York, delphia, and beyond. is campaign managers keep to his schedule as though a stop watch. The networks and do plan the evening around the certainty that will be on time, on cue. But is supremely unavailable to er reporters' questions: So intense is the effort to ep reporters at bay that it is ting to believe the frequent tion that his aides are aid he might make a gaffe.

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essed: "I cannot speak, My guardians won't let me." Throughout September he will go on the campaign trail for two or three days a week. Next week he spends two days away from the White House. Wherever possible, he will henceforth make day trips. Come October, the pace may be quickened to

d newspaper hands say that three or four days' campaigning a week. That will depend largely on whether he slips in the popularity polls.

Everything about Mr Reagan's campaign is geared to the networks. While the words never change, the pictures are an ever-moving carnival of colour. It is truly wonderful to

octogenarian country singer. There was a 10st birthday cake, some rather poor country music band. 10,000 people were magically seated before him (it was after all, a Thursday morning), and thousands of those devout followers waved with little flags supplied by the Reagan campaign.

And, as a final Technicolor

for the networks, a sudden, huge shower of confetti descended upon a delighted audience, all but obliterating the laughing President from

Reagan in a chartered Pan-American jet A rotating team of 10 journalists is allowed on board Air Force One but they do not get to talk to the President. He has not been seen in the rear of the plane since the campaign began. A White House press spokesman is always on hand with plenty of words and, usually, no information.

Even the "shout line", the point where reporters wait for



Europe told to spend more

Lord Carrington, the new Secretary General of Nato, said yesterday that all members of the Alliance should do more to strengthen its conventional defence capabilities, but gave warning that European com-tries would have to bear most of

Reagan Congress in a report on Nato's non-nuclear forces that he would continue to prod the allies to make better contri-butions to Nato defence.

The press corps follows Mr ascend the aircraft steps, is now strategically placed beneath a roaring engine.

The ubiquitous Secret Service helps the President in his obvious desire to keep out of reach of the media. NBC television is still grumbling about a Secret Service agent when Sam Donaldson, NBC White House correspondent, Sam Donaldson, NBC tried to ask Mr Reagan an unscheduled question

The cynicism of the press is moving swiftly to followed by Mr Reagan, and the lack of any substance it contains. Ray Coffey, Washing-ton bureau chief of the Chicago Tribune, scoffed: "The one thing President Reagan should not be at the end of this

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campaign is tired." William Groody, a reporter for the Mutual Radio news network, has followed the president on every political trip for the last four years. He thinks Mr Reagan is frightened of being shot again. There is no access to him. The press corps is caught in a sort of cocoon. We don't like being on the inside, but you can't function on the outside."

For all the frustrations of the media, the Republican camp has got them more or less under control. There is, more often than not, no serious news to report. Mr Reagan does not even talk off the record. Actually, he does not talk at all

unless he is on stage.
The President was home in time for dinner after his Nashville exploits, a pleasant day out, as it was almost 10 am before he left the White House by helicopter for Air Force One at Andrews Air Force base near by. For that, he was all over the nightly television news with a crowd of country and western stars. Which, his campaign managers reckon, is infinitely more productive than a dozen speeches about the budget deficit or some other worthy,



Airbus boost: M Bernard Lathiers, general administrator of the four-nation Airbus consortium, displaying a model in Paris of the plane after the \$1bu deal with Pan Am.

Nazi judge murder charge welcomed From Our Correspondent, Bonn

The leader of the Jewish community in West Germany cision to charge a former Nazi People's Court judge with murder as "a chance to warn the younger generation of the evils of a dictatorship". The West Berlin public

prosecutor has accused Herr Paul Reimers, aged 82, of involvement in 97 of the death sentences delivered by the notorious People's Court between 1943 and 1945. The court, under the presidency of Roland Freisler, passed the death sentence on more than "enemies of the state" from 1942 oawards at an average of 10 a day.

Herr Werner Nachmann,

cil, said in Karlsruhe: "The guilty must be punished. But I see the matter as having most value in showing how unjust the Nazi regime was, and in its

warning for the future."
The charge against Herr
Reimers followed a five-year investigation by the pros-ecutor's office. Another 41 former People's Court judges and lawyers are on its list of people to be charged. A spokesman said yesterday East Germany had been especially helpful in providing evidence.

Herr Reimers will be the first former Nazi judge to face trial in West Germany, if his case comes to court. Officials said the question was still open because of his age and health.

why West German justice has moved so slowly against Hit-ler's judges was a Federal High Court ruling in 1968 that they were covered by "judges' privilege", and acted according to the law of their day. Investigations were renewed

in 1979 on the order of Herr Gerhard Meyer, then Free Democrat Senator of Justice in

Herr Nachmann said: "It is certainly interesting to see that the West German justice of today is concerning itself with the perverted justice of the Nazis. But we also want the verdicts of the People's Court against the many innocent Jewish citizens it sentenced to death to be wiped from the records."

Ten barrels recovered intact from **Mont Louis**

Osten (AFP) Salvage com-panies have recovered 10 of the 30 barrels of toxic uranium hexafluoride that sank last month with the French freighters Mont Louis, the companies said yesterday, adding that all the barrels would soon be picked up if seas remained

Officials said the barrels were undar-sed and that there was no threat of radiation or pollution. There had been concern that the granium hexafluoride would cause severe pollution if any of the barrels suppured and the chemical came into contact with sea water. Uranium hexafluoride is mildly

M Jean-Claude Magnac deputy secretary general of Cogema, a French group taking part in the salvage operation, said the use of containers to help divers to bring up the parrels had greatly salvage operations.

Four were salvaged in about an hour yesterday. "If the weather holds, the maner will be quickly taken care of," he

The Mont Louis was en route to the Soviet Baltic port of Riga, where the hexafluoride was to be enriched, when it sank after colliding with a car ferry on

August 25.
The Mont Louis fuel tank ruptured in a storm early this week, and spread an oil slick close to Belgian beaches along

Mondale losing in the 'macho' stakes

From Nicholas Ashford, Washington

the "gender gap" in recent dale's performance as a presi-months and the impact this dential candidate - Democratic could have on the outcome of the leaders fear her nomination presidential election in Novembgreshentian electron in revenue than it gained, particularly annured that a newly-dis- among conservative Democrats apparent that a newly-dis- among conservative carered pheomenon, known as in the Deep South the "macho gap", may ultima-icly determine who will occupy choose a woman was intended the White House for the next to win the support of the

A Two poils published this week have shown that President Reagan enjoys a huge lead the year showed that the among male voters over his President's support among Bemocratic rival, Mr Walter women had fallen to below 40 Mondale. His electoral strength knong men far outweighs Mr Mondale's support among women. In fact the two polls also show that Mr Mondale is also show that Mr Mondale is also show that Mr Mondale is women, nevertheless hold him they do Mondale. His electoral strength per cent.

According to a Washing $c_{\rm obs} = c_{\rm obs} \sin \theta \Omega$ Post/ABC News poll, Mr. Reagan is leading Mr. Mendale among men by our per tent as speed per cent. Another poll, published by USA Today, showed an even larger margin in the President's firmur — of per cent.

Both polis showed that Mi fine economy and foreign policy. Mr Black said. In fact the macho elements of the macho elements of the president's charactet which supposedly alienate wamen are the first woman to run for the

ontirely the result of a backlash
against Ms Ferraro's selection
dale as a "wimp", the American
term for a "wet".

Much has been written about disillusionment with Mr Mon-

Mr Mondale's decision to Reagan. Polls taken earlier in

not running as strongly among women, nevertheless hold him women voters as had been libed lifter his nominalist of Mr Mondaler. raro as his "The important question is

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for USA Today, said.

Why is Mr Reagan ac popular with men? "Beckure he shows strong leatership in a number of critical areas such as There is also the fact that many

Hongkong deal irons out last three problems

From David Bonavia, Peking

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agreement and or debate in Landing rights are complex,
for Honkong can be reached

"Mr Xu Jiatun, head of the only through Chinese airspace."

Thina News Agency branch which is Peking's semi-official representative in Hongkong, made the disclosures yesterday, thou apparently been solved, econcerned land titles, civil aviation and passports.

The main problems, which have based Cathay Pacific.

At present only BA and the concerned land titles, civil aviation and passports.

fowned by the Crown and leased though Cathay Pacific operates by the Government to private, a service to Shanghai. industrial or commercial ten-

the state or collectively by the right of access to Britain. peasants who farm it. But in the The Hongkong British pass-littest agricultural reform, land port, which is issued to has been restored to private applicants who have lived in the

The disclosure that the airport will probably need to be Abglo-Chinese talks on Hong-built by 1997, possibly servicing kong have reached an accord on the Canton region as well as all important matters clears the Hongkong and finance will have

Wistion and passports. Chinese Airline, CAAC, fly
Mall land in Hongkong is between Hongkong and Peking.

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Rolls dealer's big day

From Our Correspo

A Rolls-Royce dealer in Lologue has set a European tecord by selling 10 of the cura, Morth a total of more than £790,000, in one day. Herr Guter Lehmann, Involver of Royal Motors, West

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my's largest Rolls-Royce calership, said yesterday: alt's the highlight of my career



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The National Savings Deposit Bond interest rate has now been raised to 12.75% p.a. Unlike many other investments, no tax is deducted at source - this high interest is credited in full. It means your bonds earn more money. If you are a taxpayer you pay the tax when it falls due. If you don't pay tax, the money is all yours.

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application form at a Post Office and make your deposit there. If you pay by cheque, make it out to The Post Office. Trustees, companies, voluntary bodies, etc.,

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Civil aviation presents many the territory after 1997, other technical problems. A new than foreign nationals. personal capacity.

3.2 The Treasury may vary the maximum and minimum holding limits and the minimum initial purchase from time to time, upon giving notice, but such a variation will not prejudice any right enjoyed by a bond holder immediately before the variation in respect of a bond then held by him. 4.1 Interest will be calculated on a day to day basis from the date of purchase up to the date of repayment: Subject to paragraph 4.2 interest on a bond will be payable at a rate determined by the Treasury, which may be varied upon

tax and must be included in any return of income made to the Inland Revenue in respect of the year in which it is capitalised. REPAYMENT

a bond must be made in writing to the National Savings Deposit Bond Office and beacomparised by the current investment certificate. The period of notice will be calculated from the date on which the application is received in the National Savings Deposit Bond Office.

52 Application may be made in accordance with paragraph 5.1 for repayment of part of a bond, including capitalised interest, but the amount to be repaid must not be less than £50, or such other figure as the Treasury may determine from time to time upon giving notice. The balance of the bond remaining after repayment, excluding interest which has not been capitalised, must be not less than the minimum holding limit which was in force at the date of application. Where part of a bond has been repaid a new certificate will be issued and the remaining balance will be treated as having the same date of purchase as the original bond.

5.3 Payments will be made by crossed warrant sent by post. For the purpose of determining the amount payable in respect of a bond the date of repa will be treated as the date on the warrant. 54 No payment will be made in respect of a bond held by a minor under the

age of seven years, either solely or jointly with any other person, except with the consent of the Director of Savings. 6 Bands will not be translamble except with the consent of the Director of

vings. The Director of Savings will, for example, normally give consent in a case of devolution of bonds on the death of a holder but not to any proposed transfer which is by way of sale or for any consideration. NOTICE 7. The Treasury will give any notice required under paragraph 3.2, 4.1,5.2 and 8 in the London, Edinburgh and Beliast Cazentes or in any manner which they think fit. If notice is given otherwise than in the Gazettes, it will as soon as reasonably possible thereafter he recorded in them.

GUARANTEED LIFE OF BONDS A Each bond may be held for a guaranteed initial period of 10 years from the purchase date. Thereafter, interest will continue to be payable in accordance with paragraphs 4.1 and 4.3 until the redemption of the bond. The bond may be redeemed either at the end of the guaranteed initial period or on any date thereafter, in either case upon the giving of six months notice by the Treasury. The Director of Savings will write to the holder before redemption, at his last recorded address, informing him of the date of redemption.

PROSPECTUS 1. National Savings Deposit Bonds (bonds) are Covernment securities issued National Savings Stock Register and are subject to the Seamsory Regulations relating to the National Savings Stock Register for the time being in force, so 5 1 A holder must give three calendar months notice of any application for repayment before redemption but no orior notice is required if application is made on the death of the sole bond holder Any application for repayment of fares these are applicable. The principal of, and interest on, bonds are a charge on the National Loans Fund.

2.1 Subject to a minimum purchase of £250 (see paragraph 3) a purchase may be made in multiples of £50. The date of purchase will for all purposes be the date payment is received, with a completed application form, at the National Savings Deposit Bond Office, a Post Office transacting National Savings Bank business or such other place as the Director of Savings may specify 2.2.A certificate will be issued in respect of each purchase. This certificate will show the value of the bond and its date of purchase. This certificate will be replaced on each anniversary of the date of purchase and on part repayment in

ce with paragraph 5.2, by a new continuate showing the updated value

of the bond, including capitalised interest.

MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM HOLDING LIMITS

21 No person may hold, either solely or jointly with any other person, less than £250 in any one bond or more than £50,000 in one or more bonds. The matchian holding trait will not prevent the capitalisation of interest under paragraph 4.3 but capitalised interest will count towards this limit if the holder wishes to punchase another bond. Bonds inherited from a deceased holder and terest on such bonds will not count towards the maximum limit. Bonds held by a person as trustee will not count towards the management which he may hold as trustee of a reparate filled or which he or the bendelary may hold to a

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without deduction of income tax, but interest is subject to income

4.3 Interest on a bond will be capitalised on each amovement of the date of .

From Michael Hornsby, Cape Town

threshold of a new dawn".

The presidency combines the prime ministerial executive miss ministers, and prorogue and dissolve Parliament.

He will also play an important refereeing role in the event white, Indian and Coloured chambers of the restructured Parliament, to be formally opened next Tuesday.

An unexpected guest of honour among the 1,000 dignitaries at the swearing-in ceremony, in the Groote Kerk (Great Church) on Cape Town's historic Adderley Street, was Dr Jonas Savimbi, leader of the rebel movement in

Dr Savimbi, who receives military support from South Africa but has only paid clandestine visits here before, appeared at a joint press conference with Mr R. F. Botha, Minister, yesterday morning.

The Unita leader spoke of his confidence that his guerrillas could bring the MPLA Government in Luanda to the negotiat-ing table and "force them to share power with us."

Foreign Minister played down reports that hundreds, possibly

Dr Savimbi said: "We don't teargas and rubber bullets.

Mr P. W. Botha; sworn in have any evidence of Koreans here vesterday as South Africa's fighting against us. There are first executive State President, just rumours". Cuban soldiers, said the country's new consti- currently extimated at about tution had set it "on the 25,000, have been in Angola for nearly a decade.

The flaunted presence here of ceremonial duties of head of Dr Savimbi reinforces specustate with Mr Botha's former lation that Pretoria is stalling on its military withdrawal from functions, and gives him the southern Angola, begun under power to declare war, proclaim an agreement reached last martial law, appoint and dis- February, while pressure is put miss ministers, and prorogue on Luanda for a political

backdrop.

was "to show that we can listen

The success of the new constitution depended "on the extent to which it finds a place in the hearts of people, and the practical expression in their daily contact with one another. the South African Foreign Tolerance and mutual respect must be the guidlines for all.

Most South Africans are likely to measure these fine words against the Government's current crackdown on black political dissent, which is in large part responsible for the

in Durban.
Sone 800 students at the thousands, of North Korean University of the Western Cape, Angola to meet the Unita made their feelings felt by threat. Mr Botha said he would staging a protest against Mr not be surprised if there were Botha's inauguration in the some North Korean military personnel there, but not in the numbers reported.

Toad running past the campus, blocking traffic. They were dispersed by riot police using

Pretoria's limitless powers of arrest

From Our Own Correspondent, Cape Town

imprison anyone it pleases. The particular weapon being

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detain without trial anyone he believes is promoting, engaged in, or likely to engage in, activities endangering the security of the state or the maintenance of law and order. well as political dissent.

the notice ... as can, in the opinion of the minister, be disclosed without detriment to the public interest".

five men now in the consulate. revolution, had not provided sufficient reasons for their

accommodation with Unita. After being sworn in by the Chief Justice, Mr P. J. Rabie,

which was preceded by the singing of Handel's All Thanks to Thee O Lord President Botha delivered his inaugral address from a rostrum on the Grand Parade, with the heights of Table Mountain as a

Mr Botha said the task ahead to one another, that we can respect each other's interests, and that we can rule to the best interest of all."

Both Dr Savimbi and the drama at the British Consulate

troops were being moved into the main coloured university,

South Africa has one of the non-communist world's most elaborate legal apparatuses for silencing political dissent. Beneath the trappings of an independent judicial review, it effectively gives the Government total power to arrest and

used against the six political fugitives in the British Consul-Under section 28, the Minister of Law and Order can

This covers acts of violence as A written notice of the minister's arrest order must be accompanied by a statement "setting forth the reasons for the detention ... and so much of the information which induced the minister to issue

It was this clause which led a Natal Supreme Court judge a week ago to order the release of plus two others still at large. He argued that the minister, in saying simply that the de-tainees had been promoting

Last weekend, the minister issued a new arrest order, adding a single sentence that said no more information could be divalged without damaging the public interest. On Monday a judge in the Rand Supreme Court declared this legally acceptable. The detainees have now appealed again.

The length of detention is at the whim of the minister. A ate in Durban is section 28 of detainee has no right to see a the Internal Security Act, nassed by Parliament in 1982. consider every detention,

The Chief Justice can overturn an arrest order, but only on the technical ground that the minister has exceeded his powers under the act, which are virtually limitless.

A further aspect of section 28 is that anyone held under it is automatically "listed" - he or she may not be quoted and can be prohibited from being a member or office bearer of any organization or public body and

engaging in its activities.
This "listed" status continues even after a person has been released from prison, unless he is specifically re-moved by the minister. In this way opposition political organi-

formally banning them. Five of those in the Consulate are members of the Natal Indian Congress, founded at the turn of the century by Mahatma Gandhi, and espouses his doctrine of non-violent civil disobedience. They are all middle-class professional men. Less revolutionary people



Unity at last: Members of Isreal's newly-formed Government meet President Herzog at his residence. They include (front row, left to right) Mr David Levy, Deputy Prime Minister; Mr Shimon Peres, Prime Minister; President Herzog; Mr Yitzhak Shamir, Foreign Minister; Mr Yitzhak Navon, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Education and Culture; (back row, starting centre) Mr Yitzhak Modai, Minister of Finance (tallest); Dr Josef Burg, Minister without Portfolio; Mr Ariel Sharon, Minister of Trade and Industry.

Peres gives priority to beating inflation

Minutes after he was inducted yesterday morning as Israeli's eighth Prime Minis-ter, Mr Shimon Peres said in Jerusalem that his government

of national unity will give

priority to rescning the econ-61-year-old Labour Party leader and his 24 ministers assumed their duties after the Knesset voted confidence in the broad coalition by 89 votes to 18 with one abstention.

Mr Peres's first telephone call after he presented his Government to President Herzog was to Mr Yitzhak Modai. the new Finance Minister and the two met later in the day.

Ankara
Tension between Ankara and

Washington over two resol-

utions adopted by Congress blaming Turkey for the mass-

acre of some 1.5 million Armenians deepened yesterday

after the intervention of Mr

Turgut Ozal, the Turkish Prime

Minister, who warned of long-

The resolution was adopted by the US House of Representa-

tives on Monday, designating April 24 as the "National

remembrance day of man's

inhumanity to man" and blaming Turkey for the mass-acre of 1.5 million Armenians

A similar resolution passed

through the Senate foreign

relations committee in which

Turkey was again accused of the massacres and the destruction

of the 2,500-year-old Armenian

homeland. It had further called

during the First World War.

term consequences.

The public is bracing itself for some tough measures to reduce living standards, slow down inflation and narrow the gap in the balance of payments. The country's problems was

underscored yesterday after-noon when the Central Bureau of Statistics published its monthly report which showed that last month the consumer price index rose by 16.5 per cent, approximately doubling the previous record for August in 1982. Annual inflation remains at appoximately 400 Der cent.

Mr Modai credited his predecessor Mr Yigal Cohen-Orgad, with having contained inflation and he said this was to

Turks angry at US

view on Armenia

KNESSET LINE-UP Government: Likud 41.

Labour 37, National Religious Party Shas, Sephardic Torah Guardians 4, Yahad 3, Shinui 3, Agudat Yisrael 2, Morasha 2, Ometz 1. Total 97.

Opposition: Mapam 6, Techiya 5, Citizen's Rights Movement 4, Communists 4, Progressive List for Peace 2, Kach 1, Tami 1. Total 23.

be followed by an assault. He said the public's anticipation of measures was well founded. "We shall have to take some corrective measures to put the trend in the right direction", he said. "Fighting inflation is now the national

Salmonella

drives out

tourists

Wednesday said the causes of the outbreak were untreated

drinking water and sea pol-

lution caused by untreated

sewage being dumped into the

water near the beaches. An

inquiry among the tourists

showed that 60 per cent of them

had been stricken with intesti-

nal problems after arriving on

scheduled for completion last spring is still unfinished.

Portuguese authorities are

very concerned about the cancellation of tours from

Scandinavia. About 25,000

Swedish tourists visit the

Algarve every year and another 10,000 come from Denmark.

An estimated 12,500 hotel

duty from all of us, and each in his own way will have to contribute his share."

Mr Modai, the fifth Liked Mr Modai, the fifth Liked Finance Minister since the Party gained office in 1977, said he will study carefully proposals prepared by officials in the ministry and will decide quickly which will be activated. There were several ceremon-

ies yesterday marking the handing over of ministries to new incumbents. Mr Perez took over from Mr Shamir in a brief simple ceremony, while the transfer of the Defence Minis-

Six-Day War, said in his speech that Israeli forces could be withdrawn from Lebanon in five or six months but the evacuation could begin only after security arrangen

transfer of the Defence Ministry from Mr Arens to Mr Xitshak Rabin was marked by military pomp.

Mr Rabin, Chief-of-Staff of the Defence Forms of the Defence Ministry from Mr Rabin, Chief-of-Staff of the Defence Forms of the Defence Forms of the Defence Ministry from Mr Rabin, Chief-of-Staff of the Defence Ministry from Mr Arens to Mr months but the disraption preceding the final signature suggested this understanding did not permeate to all Mr Rabin, Chief-of-Staff of did not permeate to al the Defence Forces since the members of the inner cabinet.

Russia says Reagan

invited Gromyko

Mr Andrei Gromyko's forth-

coming talks in Washington

with President Reagan are the

result of an American initiative, according to Mr Vladimir

Lomeiko, the chief spokesman

for the Soviet Foreign Ministry.

He refused to say whether the Soviet Foreign Minister would

be taking a new Soviet arms control initiative to the White

House, saying that the agenda was a matter for Mr Reagan and

The two men are to meet on September 28, after the United

Nations General Assembly

session in New York, The

meeting will be President

Reagan's first encounter with a

senior Soviet leader, and may mark the beginning of a thaw,

although there has been no softening of Moscow's anti-

Reagan rhetoric. The meeting

has still not been announced in

comment on the future of

Marshal Ogarkov, the demoted

Deputy Defence Minister, who

is said by some sources to have

been given command of one of

Mr Lomeiko said President

Reagan had issued an invitation

to Mr Gromyko, who had

accepted. News of the proposed

Georgy Kornienko, the Deputy

Foreign Minister, gave an interview to the NBC television

Today programme in Moscow

this week NBC has been

broadcasting its morning show

every day from the Rossiya

The spokesman described

suggestions that Mr Gromyko's

visit would help Mr Reagan's

chances of reelection as "specu-lation and conjecture." Asked

why Mr Gromyko had accepted

Mr Reagan's invitation despite

failures, we would have had

them. I don't expect failures."

The military ran a final check

on all systems before they went

into missiles, on board aircraft

Pentagon officials empha-

sized that the problem was not

the quality of the chips. They had simply not been tested to

standards set by IBM and 80

Texas Instruments for weapons.

IBM discovered last year that

and on to ships, he said.

Hotel near Red Square.

five Soviet "theatres of war"

Mr Lomeiko declined to

Mr Gromyko.

the ground satisfied Israel's

The Israeli media yesterday reflected some public uncer-tainty about the survival of the new Government. The indexendent Bauretz said Mr Peres and Mr Shamir appeared to have reached an understanding

He dismissed a statement on

Thursday by Mr Robert McFar-iane, Mr Reagan's National

Security Adviser, that Soviet-American arms talks could be

Mr Lomeiko said he could

add nothing to what had

appeared in the Soviet press

about the dismissai last week of

Marshal Ogarkov, who had played a key role in arms

control. Speculation ran high in

marshal's fate, which has still

against the leadership.

vestern theatre of war.

given command of the fifth, or

Mr Lomeiko said questions

about the Lifehal should be

addressed to the Ministry of

Defence. The Ministry of

He also deflected questions

about the state of health of

President Chernenko, who is

rumoured to have entered

hospital again for observation

after his brief reappearance in

the Kremlin on September 5.

discuss the proliferation of

nuclear weapons. He berated an

American correspondent for

raising the case of Mrs Yelena

Bonner, the wife of Dr Andrei

Sakharov, after the briefing had

formally closed. Mrs Bonner is reported to be appealing against

a sentence of five years internal

The briefing was called to

He has not been seen since.

Usually

meeting first emerged when Mr Defence said it could not

comment

Moscow yesterday about the

resumed "before too long."

Trial resumed

Ankara (Reuter) - The trial of 56 Turkish intellectuals accused of breaking martial law by drafting and signing a human rights petition in May resumed

Britons die

in Kharg

Island raid

by Iraq

Three young British divers were among six people killed during an Iraqi air attack off

Iran's Kharg Island, the foreign

They were on board the German-owned supply vestel. Seetrans 21, which was destroyed in the raid on

The dead Britons were named last night as David Boyd, Russell Firzgerald and Gerald Rowntree, all in their

twenties. They were employed by Wharton Williams Taylor of Aberdeen. Their addresses were

Lorries block

Italian frontier

Rome - About 600 lorries

were yesterday reported to be blocking the Italo-Swiss frontier

post at Chiasso, third most

important entry point on Italy's

northern border, in a protest by

drivers against slow Italian procedures (John Earle writes).

getting through, though with difficulty. The blockade started on the Swiss side on Wednes-

Tokyo (Reuter) - At least 15

people were missing in land-slides and flooding caused by an

carthquake which shook wide

reas of Japan yesterday. The

epicentre was in western Nagano prefecture on the island of Honshu.

Japan quake

day.

Private cars were said to be

office confirmed.

Canaries toll

La Gomera (Reuter) - The death toll in a five-day forest fire on La Gomera in the Canaries has risen to 19, local

Army rules

Lima (AFP) - The Army has taken control of seven areas of Huanuco department and one of San Martin department in north-east Peru, as part of its campaign against Maoist guer-

Swiss first



Mrs Elisabeth Kopp, aged 48, who has taken the first step towards becoming the first women member of the Swiss Federal Council (Cabinet) with her nomination by the Zürich hranch of the Radical Democratic Party. The election is on October 2.

Brady robbed

Moltrasio, Italy (AP) -Thieves looted the flat of the Irish footballer Liam Brady of Inter Milan in this Lake Como resort. They stole jewels and other valuables worth about £11,000 while he was playing in Ireland's 1-0 victory over the Soviet Union in Dublin on Wednesday.

Chess delay

Moscow (Reuter) - Gary Kasparov postponed until Monday the third game in his World Chess Championship match against Anatoly Carpov, the title-holder. Each player may declare up to three postponements.

Hurricane eases

Wilmington (AP) - Torren-L rains pounded North tial rains pounded North Carolina as Hurricane Diana was downgraded to a tropical storm. Damage was estimated at \$25m (£19.8m).

Turkish bomber

Istanbul (Reuter) - Bombs damaged four district offices of Turkey's ruling Motherland Party in Istanbul injuring one person. Other devices were defused at seven party offices.

Flood damage

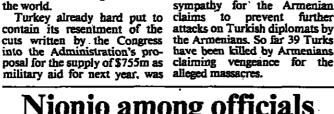
Dhaka (AP) - Floods have left about 300,000 homeless in Chapainawabgani district, in northern Bangladesh. The official death count in floods since mid-May stands at 1.073.

Artistic envoys

Peking (Reuter) - A group of Soviet singers, musicians, and dancers are visiting China, the first performers from the Soviet Union for 19 years.

Correction Our report from Poland yesterday

should have made it clear that it was the first Polish-bred Arab horses that Miss Patricia Lindsay introduced to the United States in 1961.



would be hard to imagine.

Three former Kenyan Cabi- gations against Mr Njonjo but

They include Mr Charles Njonjo, the former Attorney General and minister of Constitutional Affairs, who was accused last year of seeking to become president. A judicial inquiry recently concluded a including four former lengthy hearing into the alleministers, were expelled.

its findings have not been

Nionio. President Daniel arap Moi

The other former ministers are Mr Stanley Oloitiptip and Mr Geoffrey Kariuki both former close associates of Mr

chaired yesterday's Kanu council meeting, which was held in camera. Altogether 15 officials, including four former deputy

From Marsha de la Cal An outbreak of salmonella poisoning and other stomach upsets which has affected 300 tourists on Portugal's coast around Albufeira since the beginning of last month has caused tour operators in Sweded, Denmark and Finland to cancel flights to the Algarve.

A report submitted to the Ministry of Health in Lisbon on

particularly offended with such an open endorsement of the Armenian claims, as Ankara had been pointing at the "exemplary attitude of the US

Mr Ozal:Warning to

United States

'documented massacres" in the ism". Ankara has been urging other conduct of US foreign policy so Western states to show less as to deter further genocides in sympathy for the Armenian

Njonjo among officials purged by Kenya party

net ministers were vesterday expelled from the ruling Kenya African National Union (Kanu) by the party's governing council meeting here (Charles Harrison writes from Nairobi).

nights have been cancelled and one Algarye hotel owner Senhor Fernando Barata, said he stood to lose about £300,000 by the end of October from Swedish cancellations alone.

Senhor Barata and Senhor Cabrita Neto, president of the Algarve hotel owners association, have visited Sweden and tried to convince the tour operators to change their minds. but were unsuccessful.

Senhor Cabrita Neto called on the Prime Minister, Senhor Mario Soares to discuss the cancellations and the sanitation problem. The Prime Minister promised a rapid solution to the

a Soviet policy of unrelieved hostility towards the Reagan Administration, Mr Lomeiko said it would "not be useful to Pentagon satisfied with

The Defence Department is confident that none of the nicrochips suspected as faulty because of improper testing will result in the failure of any of its

A Pentagon spokesman said yesterday that nearly half of the 4,700 chips made by Texas Instruments in Taiwan and not ested to proper standards had been approved as satisfactory during a special review by the company. The remaining 2,500 would be checked within a few

other companies which had bought about 15 million from Some of those passed are used in IBM computers on B52 bombers, F15 fighters, the Navy's A6 and A7 light bombers and in the Harpoon anti-ship missile.

Washington keeps quiet

Foreign Minister, according to press reports (Mohsin Ali writes A White House official said from Washington).

man declined to comment on the reports, which quoted Administration sources as say-

away from Lionheart

By Our Foreign Staff

The Soviet Union, Poland and Hungary have all rejected an invitation to send observers to Britain's Lionheart military during the next two weeks.

by West Germany as the host nation for the exercise, which will involve over 130,000 men. About 39,000 men and 8,000

already gone to Germany. Countries are obliged to notify each other of major exercises involving more than

25,000 men under the terms of the Helsinki Final Act of 1975. Britain and its Nato allies usually go further and invite observers as well. The Russians, Poles and Hungarians have given no explanation for their

was moving yesterday from the Channel ports to deployment positions in Germany. The movement was said to be going very smoothly, though arrivals at deployment positions were in some cases running up to four

Strike call raises violence fear clean sweep

By Rodney Cowton

his campaign to be reinstated. He issued plans to stage a general strike throughout the state today and a road and rail strike on Monday. His followers insist both will

Twenty-one people have died in Hyderahad in clashes between Hindus and Muslims, and support for the rival chief ministers divides on communal

lead by the man just appointed as pro tan Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Mr S. S. Owaisi, is supporting Mr Nedendia Bhaskara Rao, who supplanted Mr Rama Rac; the Bharatiya Janeta party, which is backed by avowedly commuealist Hindu organizations, is

The likelihood of violence immediately raises the possibility of the central government imposing presidential rule on the state, with what could be about the middle of August, or the justifiable excuse that law and order had broken down. It



by Muslim community

could also suggest that constitutional government had also failed, because of events in the Legislative Assembly which have prevented Mr Rama Rao from proving that he had the support of a majority of

It may also expose Mr Rama Rao and his chief supporters to the possibility of arrest under the National Security Act, which would effectively put an end to his aspirations to be

front of the President; I have paraded them in front of the governor. Do I have to parade

As an example, Mr Rama Rao yesterday produced at a press conference one of his supporters who had allegedly been chased around town by hooligans led by one of Mr Bkaskara Rao's new ministers, who was anxious to persuade him to change sides. He also described how another minister offered a supporter a ministership, plus 1m rupees (about £70,000), if he could bring two

There is also a fear in the Rama Rao camp that the new Speaker may use his powers to have the police raid the film studios where the Legislative Assembly Members are lodged. First they were sequestered over the border, in Karnataka, and then in the studios.

them in hell to prove my majority?" Mr Rama Rao said yesterday. PUNJAB PARALYSED: A complete bandh (closure) of business and other activities

microchip standards Mr Richard Delauer, Under-

Secretary of Defence for Re search and Engineering, said: "If we were going to have

weapons.

The Reagan Administration has dropped plans to release a document alleging numerous Russian violations of arms ing they were afraid of being control agreements until after the President's meeting with Mr Andrei Gromyko, the Sovier

A State Department spokes-

the company's testing standards were inadequate and alerted the

accused of purposely spoiling the atmosphere at the talks if the report to Congress was published beforehand. One source said the decision was taken on Wednesday at the behest of the State Department.

yesterday the Administration was still working on a declass-ified version of the lengthy report, and he could not say how much longer it would take. hours late.

East stays

exercise in West Germany The Foreign Office said Britain regretted the decision. The invitation had been issued

vehicles will be crossing the Channel in the next three days to join thousands who have

Heavy British military traffic

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Royal Navy to make a

complete its search for mines at the northern end of the Red Sea in the middle of October. There have been suggestions that the five British minchunters and team of naval divers would end their operation towards the end of this month. This followed a United States Defence Department statement

this week that its Sea Stallion

in other areas of the Red Sea

The Royal Navy expects to

were "winding down" and would probably complete their activities before October. However, it is understood the Royal Navy is anxious to complete a very thorough search of the area allocated to it, Neither the Americans nor the British have found any

mines that could have been

planted at the same time as

those which damaged at least 17 ships in a spate of incidents up to mid-August. Since no more incidents have been reported for about four weeks, there is a growing belief that all the mines may by now have detonated. One theory is that they may have had a time: fuse to ensure detonation by

became inert after that.

Rama Rao fights back

Mr N. T. Rama Rao, the ousted Chief Minister of the south Indian state of Andhra Pradesh, yesterday made what may be his first big mistake in

inter-communal tension in the state that the risk of violence is

be entirely peaceful, but such is

grounds. in Mr Rama Rao's camp.

Mr Bhaskara Rao: Backed

returned to power. Mr Owaisi has announced that the Assembly will not meet again for another week. This further annoyed Rama Rao supporters, who see it as a plot to enable the Bhaskara R20

forces to bring more pressure

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was observed in Punjab in protest against the killing of 12 Hindus on Thursday (Kuldip Navar writes).

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Fear of Russia spurs Japan to build new defence systems

years to go. The buying of new 155m howitzers is below target

bition to defend its sea lanes.

Though the Soviet Union has

doubled the number of MiG 23

aircraft stationed at Tennei

airfield on the disputed north-ern island of Etorofu to 40, the

principal improvement in Soviet capability over the last few years has been in its fleet,

which now numbers 825 ves-

sels, including Kiev class

The Japanese are also con-

cerned about the 135 SS20 intercontinental ballistic miss-

iles in the Soviet Far East and

The landing of Soviet troops

stationed at Cam Ranh Bay

Soviet forces in the Far East

in the area total 54,000 troops,

fence responses.

white to Japan is developing a new tank, a new anti-submarine helicopter and new radar as part of its defence buildup programme up to 1987.

gramme up to 1987. E Interest Details of the projects were

A Car The revealed yesterday in the Japan
Defence Agency's 1984 White
Paper. It is the first time the
defence review has dealt with future projects - customarily are essential to Japan's amthey survey previous years. The paper's concerned tone

Month and the second of the se over the continuing buildup of Soviet military power in the Far East, in both quality and Lead of party of the state of t quantity, is such that it could be mistaken as the work of the American Defence Department. The Japanese, however, are encouraged by American efforts to counter Soviet military

The new tank, which re-embles a lower-slung British hieftain, is billed as comparhle to the most advanced in he world. It has been under evelopment for two years. the 80 Tupolev TU 22M
When completed, it will "Backfire" bombers which
atture a 1,500 hp engine, a occasionally test Japanese de-29mm gun fired by a com-uter, with a night vision, infra-

ed sighting system and a in Vietnam during an exercise tabilizer allowing the tank to this spring clearly illustrates ire on the move. Russia's ability to project its The new shipborne helicopter military power into the region. will feature the airframe of the in the past year a regular american Sikorsky SH 60B, but complement of four Tupolev is high technology will all be TU95 "Bear" aircraft have been

It will be equipped with airfield in Vietnam for eleccomputerized sonar buoys tronic intelligence and com-which are dropped into the munications duties, while the ocean to monitor submarine number of Tupolev TU16 movements. They will feed into "Badgers" for the anti-shipping a Japanese computer, dubbed role increased to nine. m tactical information handing system, which will also number some 370,000 troops in illow the helicopter to exchange 40 divisions, 2,200 aircraft, and nformation directly with sur-

These programmes reflect the nilitary's determination to levelop new capability. But 13 divisions, 350 aircraft and ome current purchasing pro- 167 ships.

Concert The great outdoors

BBCSO/Loughran Albert Hall/Radio 3

Thursday night at the Proms, the sounds of the great outdoors settled under the dome, as the responses of two men, early and late in life, were played out through the catalyst of remembered folksong. For Bartok, the refraction of

what his external ear taught his inner sensibility was by com-parison with Mahler a more studied, self-conscious affair. But at the end of his Third Piano Concerto, written in the last year of his life, a new simplicity sounds through the ess than naive metamorphoses. Peter Frankl found just that hairbreadth between sophisti-cation and playfulness in the limpid two-note figures of the first movement as they bounced off the keyboard into the nicely characterized clarinet and flute calls. And as if to elicit the response of human awe in his cool, poised piano choraie, the finely-drawn network of I wish there could be more cadences to frame the sharp detail of the central Administrations would take the whole finely-drawn network of I wish there could be more detail of the central Administration. detail of the central Adagio's

The BBC Symphony Orchestra and James Loughran seemed happier with the knowing simplicity of Bartok than with the naivety inside the artifices of Mahler's First Symphony. Deceived, perhaps, by the instinct with which Mahler dissolves birdcall into folksong into military aggrandisement, Loughran's reading throughout was lucid, logical, but burdened with rather more crude reality than the work can bear in order to be at its best.

The lack of conscious effectseeking was refreshing, even if the rough-hewn Scherzo with its tardy, blowzy brass entries had more of the Furry Dance than the Ländler about it. But in the slow movement, with its almost surreal dream and memory visions, levels of recession tended to be blurred, tensions slackened. Pianissimos warmed too readily, passing ghosts peeped rather than glared out of the field of vision, dimensions were softened and reduced. The orchestra was really

given too easy a time of it: the finale above all has both more raw instinct and more buried in its subconscious than Mr Hilary Finch contingency sum of around uninteresting but it just does £150,000 as a guarantee against not fit with the criteria of

Proms was stressed a couple of

What has Dynasty to do with the planning of the Proms? The interval in the Last Night this evening will be nearly double its normal length, because the Albert Hall and the Prommers have to wait around for the first episode in the new series of Dynasty to finish on BBC1 before television deigns to join the celebrations

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This might seem a graphic illustrations of the changed priorities at the BBC, where even the most popular of musical events now has to take second-place to the power game of television ratings. Television also disrupted the Proms at the very start of the season, when the first night's programme was changed from *The Dream of* Gerontius just because the BBC had already arranged a telerecording of the same work from the Three Choirs Festival. Robert Ponsonby, the BBC's Controller, Music - who in fact has no control over the planning of music on television plays down the effects of these clashes. "I am very largely my own master in planning the Proms. It is very rare indeed that we have to change pro-grammes, and the matter of the first night was an almost unique accident, an enormous muddle with two plans proceeding on parallel lines. Of course I'm not completely happy: I wish that television would take the whole radio. But I know their limi-tations. I would imagine they wished they could do more. And Ponsonby smiles enigmati-This is Ponsonby's eleventh

season of Proms, and in both artistic and box-office terms it has been a striking success. Richard Francis, the BBC's Managing Director, Radio, who oversees the whole operation, says: "There is every sign that this season will turn out to have been one of the best ever, and that is entirely due to Robert Ponsonby and his colleagues in getting the mix right. To promote a major series like this is very important indeed to the BBC; it is vital to keep the balance between the needs of the broadcast audience and that of the public coming through the doors. We want to attract the public, but we also want to move things forward; any good festivals should have a dynamic and lead people to new experiences. We could run a frankly popular series but that would not be what we should be doing with the licence fee." The current strong support of the BBC management for the

THE ARTS On the last night of the Proms, Nicholas Kenyon talks to

Conflicts of sound and vision

Robert Ponsonby, the BBC's Controller of Music,

any unexpected shortfall at the box office. Ponsonby explains: "This meant I could sleep more easily at night, and it also meant that we were able to pay, for example, for rehearsal of unfamiliar works by outside orchestras." But Francis orchestras." But Francis emphasizes that, even with the Proms budget running at over £1m, the guarantee has not yet been called on because box-office response has been so

wondered whether Ponsonby found the planning of the concerts easier after 11 seasons. "No, it gets harder, I often envy Henry Wood back in the 1890s: he had so little music to choose from! Now there is an incredible wealth of music".

Had he consciously aimed to carry on Sir William Glock's pioneering attempt to make the Proms a home for the most adventurous twentieth-century music? "Well, it was clear that there could be no retreat from William's position, but I wanted to fan out on a broader front - just to take two examples, I think there has been more Vaughan Williams and more Sibelius in the last decade; they are not necessarily my personal favourites but they deserve a place in the season."

This raised the often-argued point of how something, especially contemporary music, came to "deserve" a place in the Prom season. Ponsonby: "I was talking to a British composer in his late fifties a couple of days ago who wanted to know why music wasn't in the Proms, and I said I thought there were now three main criteria: music of importance; very great music as opposed to minor pieces; and music of very great promise. Now of course Γm begging lots of questions there. But you have to have faith and confidence in certain composers. If we cannot make up our minds here, subjectively, about who we think is good then we're not doing our job properly. Pos-terity will probably prove us wrong - in most cases! "The difficulty is - no, it's

not a difficulty, it's just a painful matter - that there are years ago when the Board of many British composers whose Governors agreed to provide a music is not worthless or



there simply isn't room for it with all the other pressures." So why take a leap like this year's commission to Brian Elias, who had never written a major orchestral work? "We have to live dangerously. That was a risk, and it turned out a very strong and very interesting piece." Should there be fewer commissions, more repeats of established works? "No, that would be shirking the risk and shirking a duty."
In the 1960s there were

causes to be won, cases to be argued for contemporary music. Was that different now? "Yes, I think the principal problem is to have a profile for this season, and give it a clear character at a time when there is no really clear profile to contemporary music. I don't think I'm alone in finding it difficult to perceive a mainstream of new music. There is immense variety. I don't go along with the so-called neo-romantic school, if it can be called that, but I'm glad that these composers are doing their will inherit that."

confidence in our taste."
Ponsonby's taste - and, he insists, the taste of his musical colleagues at the BBC, though some would say that is an overrated influence - has ruled the Proms for more than a decade. There have been dissenting voices which have suggested that artistic planning of the season should be in one person's control for a far shorter period of time. At the end of 1986 Ponsonby turns sixty, and will retire from the BBC. How are the Proms looking until then? "The 1985 Proms are in very good shape. I can say that there will be a strong American strand in the planning, somewhat peversely you may feel in European Music Year, but there we are. There will be some Bach and Handel but we anticipate that everyone else will be doing them. The '86 Proms are there skeleton at present. And

But will there be a successor's There have been persistent rumours since the BBC reorganization two years ago, which deprived Ponsonby of direct managerial responsibility for all the music producers (who now work direct to Radio 3) and left him with a brief supervising the orchestras and other administrative tasks, that when he retired his post would be abolished, its functions spread between different departments. I put this to Richard Francis, who would be responsible for any restructuring. "I do not expect - no, let me put that more strongly - 1 do not foresce any change when Robert goes in the way things are organized. It is a measure of how important the BBC regards its serious music that there is a Controller who, as it were, bats for that particular corner, and the world of music expects someone they can refer to as the BBC's representative in that area. So I cannot foresee any great change; the abolition of the Controllership is not an option that is So that raises the question of where the next Controller might

be found. Ponsonby will not choose his own successor (if William Glock and Pierre Boulez had had their choice years ago, Glock would have been succeeded by Lord Harewood), but he says: "It is my hope that whoever succeeds me will be a musician from within radio. I would also hope some day, perhaps when lan McIntyre gives up the Control-lership of Radio 3, that a musician is appointed to that job." Could the two be the same person? "I think that would be very difficult, and I'm not sure the functions could be combined." A musician from radio suggests a very narrow choice: in terms of stature, Stephen Plaistow, at present in charge of contemporary music; Ernest Warburton, at present Editor of Radio 3 music; Martin Dalby from Scotland or possibly whoever is chosen during the next few days as Ponsonby's Chief Assistant. But it is much more likely

that the BBC will look for an outside figure of importance, presented: John Drummond, like Ponsonby a graduate of the Edinburgh Festival. It may be that the choice has already been made, but if anyone starts looking there will be other choices, such as John Manduell, head of the Royal Northern College who once planned music programmes for the BBC. In any case, the BBC has reaffirmed that a new Controller of Music will be sought, and the appointment will be watched with the highest interest in the musical world.

South Tyrol celebration revives row

From Richard Bassett, Vienna. and John Earle, Rome Enmity between Italy and

Austria over the large German-speaking area of Italy's South Tyrol has been reignized by celebrations at lansbrack last sary of the Tyrolean rising against Napelcon.

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President Pertini of Italy criticized the anti-Italian character of the ceremonies and reproved Signor Silvins Mag-nago, head of the adminis-tration in Italy's Bolzano

province, for attending.
Signor Magnago is president
of the German-speaking South
Tyrolean People's Party, but
President Pertini said he was amazed that Signor Magnago had gone to Innshruck. "I deplore the event. I hope it was just something passing." There was also criticism

from Italian politicians and newspapers of a statement from Herr Edward Wallnoefer, governor of the Austrian Tyrol, he said the celebrations underlined to the world "the injustice of the Brenner fron-



row over rally:

Seoul says yes to offer from North From Our Own Correspondent

Tokyo North Korea has offered to help the flood-stricken South in | Loughran cared to unearth. the latest flurry of signals between the two halves of the divided country.

is not clear acceptance is merely calling Pyongyang's bluff or a genuine attempt to break the ice. It is most likely the latter. The south is trying hard for a breakthrough. The repeated failure of the

North to follow up such goodwill offers makes many suspicious of the latest gesture.
Pyongyang says it will send 7.4 million tons of rice, 100,000 tons of cement, textiles and medical supplies to flood-bit areas near Seoul, where 145 people are reported dead and more than 40 still missing. According to Pyongyang, it will use its own lorries and ships but few will believe it is a

genuine gesture until the lorries appear at the demilitarized zone ● SEOUL. The president of the Red Cross here, Mr Yoo Chang Soon, said the South had

accepted the proposal to "open the way between the two sides to start solving humanitarian problems first" (AP reports). Mr Yoo hoped that North Korean ships would deliver the goods to the ports of Inchon and Pusan before the end of the month, as Pyongyang had

suggested.
The floods swept central parts of South Korea earlier this month and resulted in property loses. President Chun Doo Hwan said in late August he was ready to start trade and economic cooperation with the North and provide technical and material assistance to help improve living standards. His proposal was rejected by Pyon-

Struggle into the sunlight of atheism The Devil and the

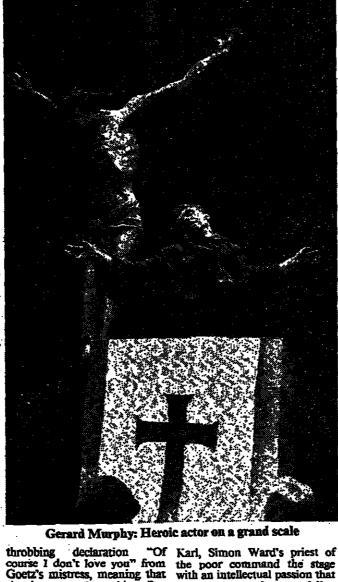
Good Lord Lyric, Hammersmith

Here is an event to recall the time when theatre stood at the cross-roads of English intellectual life, and before "the right to fail" had become a begging-bowl cliche. Even more im-pressive than the lunatic bravado of staging an 80-character, four-and-a-half-hour production in this modest playhouse is the courage of taking such a risk on a play whose dramatic life resides exclusively in the clash of ideas. Finally reaching the London stage a quarter of a century after

its Paris premiere, The Devil and the Good Lord is no more an international property now than it was then. Sartre claimed to have written it as a sequel to Les Mains Sales - projecting the dilemma of the bourgeois revolutionary back to the time of the Peasants' Revolt. But it comes over far more strongly as a hostile reflection of the work of Montheriant and Claudel, using their ponderous debating machinery and their image of the heroic spiritual quest to show a figure struggling through the dark night of Christianity into the sunlight of atheism. The germ of the play stems from Cervantes's tale of a

bandit who decides to do good on the throw of a dice. Sartre grafted this idea on to the historical figure of Goetz von Berlichingen, the freebooting German knight who joined forces with the peasants in their struggle against the despotic alliance of bishops and princes dating from the Diet of Worms. Goetz was also the subject of an early Goethe play in which he figures as a Teutonic Robin Hood, Not so Sartre's hero, who acknowledges no kinship with the other knights of the Holy Roman Emperor nor with any other living being. His relation-ship is strictly with God; and his aim, until his humanist conversion, is to drive the Almighty into a corner - first by practising absolute evil, and then by absolute good. When we first see him, encamped outside Worms, it is not with any political aim, but simply to exterminate its inhabitants for fim. "Through me", he says, "God disgusts himself". There is undeniably a mech-

anical element in the first act,



she is crazy about him. But thereafter, for all the logical reversals, he does take on passionate coherence as a Strindbergian protagonist, a bastard of noble and peasant parentage, who becomes more and more himself with every fresh character he assumes. In terms of plot (and political

argument) it emerges that whatever his actions - good or bad - they only benefit the prince and destroy more human lives. And as this consciousness dawns on him, so he becomes increasingly comic; changing from a satanic monster to a ridiculous would-be martyr, inflicting savagely meaningless penances on his body. In John Dexter's production,

the piece takes shape with the full grandeur and austerity of French classicism. When called for, brilliantly animated crowd scenes engulf the stage. Horror is always lurking just off stage; briefly revealed in the sight of a bleeding corpse on the top of a pole, and other realistically solated atrocities that periodically invade the neutral grey space of Jocelyn Herbert's set. yielding moments of uninten. Supporting performances, such tional comedy such as the as Sean Baker's valet terrorist

never obscures the central line of hero's growth.

The final claim for the production is that it establishes Gerard Murphy as a heroic actor on the grand scale. Goetz engages all his familiar range of guilt, and self-torment, it also releases him into hitherto unexplored areas of manic roleplaying, orchestral eloquence, and the power to command simply with his eyes.

One key to this great piece of acting is its capacity to play a scene simultaneously direct and

years in Yorkshire. as parody: as in his farcically realistic self-stabbing as a prelude to displaying the stig-mata (Andy Phillips's lighting even gives him the blanched plaster likeness of a Roman Catholic image). The range and variety are tremendous, but it is palpably the same man who first surveys us with a bloodchilling crocodile smile, and who finally takes over the rebel army by modestly asking if they will fight for him. "I'd rather die", protests one. "Die then, brother", Murphy gently rep-lies, sliding a knife into his ority.
The programme suggest his

Television

there is just one date marked in

for '87: Boulez and the National

Youth Orchestra - my successor

Guaranteed to dull the palate

by suggesting that jam, tea and white bread are not the healthiest of substances. This dietary experiment took place in the thirties, but it seems that matters are not so different now the English are still an unhealthy race, but for other reasons.

One of the problems, it appears, is affluence - there is too much eating. But affluence can breed idleness as well as obesity, and I suspect that one of the largest causes of ill health is the time spent on worrying about one's diet. In fact certain recent research suggests that diets themselves are of a but "fibre" may save us. This is deleterious nature — it is the new wisdom or, rather, possible, after all, that fat paternalism. But we must look people will be fat and thin beneath us to know if we have

Food For Thought (Channel 4) people will be thin, however been redeemed: "Large floating lived up to its conventional title hard they try to prove otherby suggesting that jam, tea and wise."

be thin, however been redeemed: "Large floating stools," one dietary expert explained, "are related to low And yet in a secular society

something has to be granted quasi-religious reverence, and as a result physical health has become the most recent shibboleth. It was suggested last night that some 400 academic papers each year are written on the subject of diet (a decade ago, only ten were written annually) and such obsession fuels pro-grammes of this kind, which deal in manic detail with the properties of various foodstuffs. Too much salt, sugar and "saturated fat" is an indication of imminent death, it seems,

rates of our Western diseases The world can now be divided into "sinkers", and "floaters" or the new healthy aristocracy. But then no doubt once our

diet has been "adjusted" and "clear national targets" estab-lished, it will turn out that the superfluity of some other substances can cause cancer. heart-disease, constipation and all the other diseases which seem now to be directly related to fatty or sugary over-indulgence. The point about such anxieties, and about investigations like this one, is that they are perpetual. But one does grow rather tired of it all. Peter Ackroyd

Radio Priestley cornered Those called upon to say

something appreciative about J. B. Priestley following his recent

a damn. "I may not be a genius", he once crustily asgenius", he once crustily asserted, "but I've got a hell of a lot of talent". However, one might not unreasonably have uses a finer sieve than the expected his contemporaries to have come up with an appraisal that was slightly more complimentary than his own. Not so: Priestley, we were told, was "gifted" and "prolific" and, as Richard Hoggart put it (thereby providing a Radio 4 programme title), A Workmanlike Man. (Saturday, Director John Theocharis).

Compiled by Ed Thomason from memories of Priestley by his friends and extracts from his writings, this programme began life as a 90th birthday card rather than an obituary notice, which explains why it chose to

elsewhere. What did he think he was doing?" What he was doing, of course, was discovering for himself a voice with which to speak a voice which, in The heard with unmistakable auth-

that Priestley was at his best when writing about Bradford in the years before the First World

however obliquely - that in the long lifetime which followed, he favourite themes (used again in B. Priestley following his recent death, seem to have been hard put to it to find suitable epithets.

Priestley wouldn't have given Priestley wouldn't have "genius"?

present, but it would be surprising if at least The Good Companions and the best of his plays did not endure.
As part of Radio 4's birthday-

cum-in memoriam tribute to Priestley, new productions are being broadcast of his three time plays, starting last Saturday with Dangerous Corner, followed, this evening by Time and the Conways and, next Saturday, by I Have Been Here I remember, many years ago, reading Dangerous Corner for

the first time, and on reaching the point where the play turns focus on the author's formative full circle and begins again, I felt a chill run down my spine and Writing of his young self, the hairs rise on the back of my Priestley said: "I marvel at that lad. Scribbling and scribbling moment of theatrical brilliance. away, resisting innumerable But it is also a device, and temptations to fleet the time having subsequently seen the play revived on stage and television, I had begun to wonder whether it was anything other than a device. On radio. Good Companions, was to be be much more sharp, compel-

can only exist in an aberration of time, of the three plays it is the one least concerned with the War, and certainly he captured enigma of time itself. It is the rough sentimentality of its concerned, rather with lives, Irving Wardle the rough senumentanty of its concerned, rather with nives, people with a kind of stark and with truth and with the

charm. But it also implied - reasons for telling either. It also

(one of whom is dead) caught up in an eternal polygon of love and hatred. When we first meet them, they are described as a "charmed circle", but as the evening wears on, the charm wears off and, one by one, their secret selves are revealed. It is a social thriller with each character carved as both detective and suspect; each with damaging evidence about the others. Robert is married to Freda who was in love with Robert's

dead brother, Martin; Robert has a secret passion for Elizabeth, who is married to Gordon who was also in love with Martin ... and that's just the beginning Although the intri-cacies of the relationships sound almost as implausible as those from a serial in The People's Friend, they are clearly intended as symbolic manifestations of man's darker nature. The problem with Dangerous

Corner, like any play which is not quite old enough to sound like a period-piece, is that it can easily seem dated and rather daft. Faced with this difficulty, the temptation for actors to slip into nysterical caricature must be great. In this production, director Alfred Bradley and an excellent cast, headed by Martin Jarvis, sufficiently must be great. In this production, director Alfred Bradley and an excellent cast, headed by Martin Jarvis, sufficiently must be great. In this production, director Alfred Bradley and an excellent cast, headed by Martin Jarvis, sufficiently must be great. an hypnotic relentlessness towards its perfectly credible, if quite extraordinary, conclusion.

Brian Sibley

Harricances Zimbabwe aid swindler jailed for 15 years From Jan Raath, Harare

Turkish

look hugely-inflated claims worth a "staggering" £3.5m, for the transport he had tendered for of food for the country's drought-stricken areas. Paweni's agent and brotherin-law, Charles Haruperi, received a 10-year sentence. It was an aggravating feature. Artistic con

had been intended to saccour the hungry and needy suffering the acute privations of drought.

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A High Court judge yesterday their grants were being abused sentenced Harare businessman and the culprits leniently Samson Paweni, aged 44, to 15 treated. There was thus a need for years in jail for his "mean and them to be made aware of the despicable" conduct in Zimbabwe's biggest corruption

indignation and disgust with which they were regarded here. Earlier, Mr Justice Dudley
Reymolds had found Paweni
guilty of bribing at least two
civil servants last year with the
equivalent of £6,600 to overin what was referred to denote the servants and a Cabinet Minister
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in what was referred to denote the servants and a cabinet minister. The case is also controversial the six-week trial as a kingdom of craft and corruption, especially in the east of the

country. Mr Justice Reynolds noted that Paweni had been tried for bribery alone, and not for fraud. An official of the Attorney-General's office told The Times of the "nasty business" that the that the department was expectmoney, which amounted to 20, ing a docket from the police on
per cent of Zimbabwe's drought, this aspect, which included
relief operations for the year, alterations that Pawent's lorder
the hungry and needy sufficient for the police over the

DIARY

Simon Barnes

There's trouble at t'mill in the board room of Grimsby Town Football

recent annual meeting were shouted

down because of the small share-holders' vociferous resentment of

some directors' drinking habits.

"Directors' hospitality, not just on match days, but on weekday lunchtimes as well, has become - in the words of one director - "a local

scandal". In fact, in a single 12-

month period certain directors and

their guests got through: 143 bortles of gin, 86 bottles of whisky. 61 of

wine, 20 of brandy, 16 of Maruni.

three of vodka and two of Bacardi.

"It's probably gone up since then", the director added. Ron Ramsden,

another director, said at the meeting:

"Some directors are using the hoardroom like a free pub." To

make more trouble, the accounts

were not accepted at the meeting. Incidentally, Grimsby has rather a good football team these days.

The Dyslexia Foundation is looking

for people who think they can beat Jimmy Hill on horseback. The

charity is holding a fund-raising race

meeting at Sandown Park on November 2. and is looking for

more participants in the "celebrity

flat race". Lining up with Hill are

Nelson Piquet (used to driving more

than one horsepower, ho, ho). David Brown, the former England crick-

eter, Lucinda Green and Maureen

Piggott, the eventing daughter of the

This is the way to start your rugby

season with a bang. A young lad was making his first appearance for a

major club's second string last week,

and found himself involved in what

rugby people call a "robust" match.

This lad was giving his all, and when a ruck occurred he charged in like a

run away tiger and trampled

gleefully all over a grounded player. He was sent off for this. To his

dismay, however, he discovered that his unfortunate victim was a

Home and home

The FA Cup starts today - ves.

today - and among the fixtures for

the first qualifying round is the ultimate local derby. Hastings Town

visit Hastings United - and the

players must travel a distance of 10

vards to get there. The two grounds

are adjacent, separated only by a

narrow driveway. United, of the Southern League Premier division,

are the favourites over Town, of the

Sussex County League. However, as

I remember being told last season,

No arm intended

What is amiss with Leicester City's

hard-tackling stopper, Andy Feelev?

Why does he always play with his

bandage? Does he suffer from a new

and obscure sportsman's complaint? Not at all. The player has an

uncompromising appearance, but

the autumn and spring footballing tashions dictate the wearing of a short-sleeved shirt, on goes the Feeley bandage. Beneath it lurks a

secret from his heady past: a tattoo, bearing the word "Kill". His

manager, Gordon Milne, admits he

has not looked at the tattoo "too

closely". He added: "He had it done

when he was a bit of a tearaway. But

now he's seen the light, as it were,

After Diego Maradonna's scintillat-

ing debut for Napoli, the crowds

thronged around the ground for hours afterwards, waiting, believe it

or not, for the newspapers to appear

so they could read the journos'

verdict on the new godling. That is funny enough, but one wonders how

For in Naples not every one wishes to buy a newspaper for 500 lira. For

a mere 100 lira, you can hire an newspaper for a 10-minute read. The

newsstand owner will then send

back his unsold, though much-hired

papers, and, operating on a sale-or-return deal, concludes a long and

Quote of the week: Phil Edmonds

on his recall as an England cricketer:

"The youthful arrogance has gone. I may still be arrogant, but at 33 I couldn't claim to be youthful".

Mike Bore - he of the gallant

attempt to win all for Nottingham-

shire this week - is, of course, a

lapsed Yorkshireman, and one who.

according to the current Yorkshire captain, David Bairstow, had "a

positive genius" for getting on the

wrong side of Geoffrey Boycott. At

Middlesbrough in 1972, for example, Yorkshire had to lend

Gloucestershire a fielder, and Bore

was sent out to do the job. Boycott,

then captain, was batting when he

was on 68 he hooked Procter and

was caught - by Bore at long leg. Bairstow continues: "Instead of

staying on the boundary and looking

sheepish, in marched Bore with a

great grin on his face to join the celebrating Gloucestershire fielders.

When he got back to the dressing

room, he found that his irate captain

had picked up Bore's cricket bag and

thrown it into the opposition room."

The story comes from Bairstow's

forthcoming book, A Yorkshire

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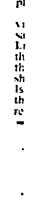
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bizarre or implausible the events and scenes it portrays, it never seems strange while it is being experienced; only when the dreamer wakes does it strike him as odd that his mother-in-law should have two heads or that he should be holding a conversation about Pythagoras's Theorem with a giraffe.

One of the most extraordinary

qualities of a dream is that, however

Perhaps I should begin with a confession: the first, and only, book I have ever stolen was T. S. Eliot's Four Quartets: it was a small blue

paperback which I came across by

chance in one of the smaller bookshops along the Charing Cross Road. I was then 12 years old, and

can clearly remember sitting and staring at it, first in bewilderment

If I was going to be a poet (a vocation which 12-year-olds then favoured). I would have to under-

stand these words and cadences. The

figure behind them was remote, so

remote that for me he need not have

existed. But I am convinced that it was this childhood incident which

led me to undertake, 20 years later, what seemed to be an impossible if

not ridiculous enterprise. I decided to write the life of T. S. Eliot and, in

so doing place that bewildering

poetry in the context from which it

The commission to do so had

come quite unexpectedly, and I

rushed towards it without any consideration of the possible diffi-culties in my way; in fact. I was not

then aware of any such difficulties

but my ignorance proved to be my strength. It was not a happy period. I half-expected the world (or at least that small part of it concerned with

hat shall part of it concerned with literary matters) to cheer me on my way; not at all. "You've put your head on the block this time, haven't you?" or "I'd wish you luck but you'll need more than luck" or "It

could ruin you", were a few of the

It seemed that I was about to

undertake a task equivalent to that

of a stuntman who carries a grand piano across a high-wire, with the

vast abyss beneath him. I do not

know much about stuntmen, but I

imagine that only will and determi-

nation see them safely over to the

no biography, she could offer me no help. Faber and Faber, Eliot's publisher's, were charmingly oblivi-

ous to my pressing need to write

such a book and they also declined

to help. I then began writing to those who knew Eliot: many did not reply,

and those who did tended to do so in

I had made it clear, in my letters,

that I wished to write as serious and

as scrupulous a biography as I was

capable of: but it soon became clear

to me that my attempt was being

seen as nothing short of desecration

- at best I was a misguided idiot, at

worst a gossip. I was neither: I simply wanted to write an honest

account of Eliot's life and, although I

was not about to worship at his

shrine. I was certainly not going to vandalise it. But how could I explain

that to his friends and colleagues, if

It was at this point that I

telephoned my agent and, with the

lucidity born of despair, asked him,

"How can I write a book without

any material?" In the course of a

long conversation in which he mentioned Johnson's Lives of the

Poets, and other luminous biogra-

phies, he said to me in effect, "Don't

be a fool. You're still the best person

to write this book. You'll find what

you need." It was clear that I was

not expected to turn back, just

because I had seen a few hurdles

strewn across my path, and the

torment of the biographer (a subject

under-employed in literary fiction)

they would not see me?

a cool or non-committal fashion.

wrote to Mrs Eliot explaining

my intentions; but, since she

is bound by her husband's

wishes that there should be

kindlier comments I received.

originally sprang.

and then in determination.

When are we all going to wake up and realize how very weird, how peculiarly unbelievable, how quite exceptionally senseless, is Sir Geoffrey Howe's dream about Hongkong? For if he had come down the aircraft steps, on his return from Peking, waving a scrap of paper in one hand and an umbrella in the other, and cackling about peace in our time, the proceedings could scarcely have been more remote from anything that could be described as reality.

Let us say for the Foreign Office and Sir Geoffrey what can be said for them (while noting, however, that they have not said it for themselves): Hongkong would be militarily untenable in the face of any serious attack by China. Since that is so, and since Britain in any case considers herself bound by the original treaty to hand back the territory to China in 1997, we must perforce sleep through a dream of "negotiations" which will lead to an "agreement" by the terms of which China will be "bound" to allow Hongkong to go on much as it is now for 50 years after the cession

It is hardly for Gallant Jack Levin to count the heads on Sir Geoffrey's mother-in-law; but at least I can draw attention to the conversation about Pythagoras's Theorem he has been having with a giraffe. Come; let

has taken place.

us wake up and talk a little sense. In the first place, nobody in the Foreign Office or outside it, and for that matter nobody in China, has any idea at all of who will be running China 13 years from now, or in what manner. For all anybody knows or can guess, another Mao may have seized power and begun the slaughter all over again. Or China and the Soviet Union may have resolved their differences and united against the rest of the world. Or China and the Soviet Union may be at war. Or China's leaders may have decided that they don't want

A life measured out T. S. Eliot's world has been shrouded marriage to Vivien Haigh-Wood. For the first time I could hear his

in mystery. After a difficult search Peter Ackroyd discovered what he felt

to be the poet's own voice



Hongkong: let our people go

Eliot portrayed by Wyndham Lewis: search for the living figure My next step was to allay such torments in the most appropriate place, the Reading Room of the British Museum. For six months I read everything even remotely connected with Eliot; I acquired that pallor which George Gissing ascribes

It is difficult to wade through the volumes of Eliotic scholarship which, when seen en masse, provoke grave doubts about the nature of academic life. Eliot became variously the Symbolist, the Christian, the Philosopher, the Sceptic, the Modernist and eventually, the Guru whose most fleeting remarks were analysed with a seriousness usually only applied to Holy Writ. The major problem was that they made Eliot seem so boring, a plaster image of a man around which various

contemporary memoirs about the man himself, some of them in volume form, some of them hidden

Hongkong back after all, and signed it over to Ken Lo. But the

uncertainty draws immediate atten-

tion to one of the many aspects of

the matter that the Foreign Office

would much rather is not discussed:

the impossibility of dealing in a

rational manner with a state run on

lines that do not provide for any kind of predictable political conti-

nuity, because its leaders have no

legitimacy other than that provided

by the force they can deploy to keep

Still, let us assume, lest the

argument should die right here, that the men who are ruling China in

1997 will have the same attitude to

Hongkong as is held by its rulers today. (Whatever, incidentally, that

might be; another of the dream-bal-

lets being staged by the Foreign Office consists of the assumption

that the people they are dealing with

Then everything is tickety-boo,

hunky-dory and oojah-cum-spiff? Well, only if Sir Geoffrey will

answer one more question that his department would consider in the

most deplorable taste (and for good

measure inopportune): what com-

munist country does he know which,

having incorporated within its borders some five million people of

another country who have pre-viously been used to freedom of

speech, worship, political associ-

(to name but a few) has permitted such conditions to prevail for one

tion, travel and economic activity

So powerful is the air of a dream

which suffuses the whole business

that two perfectly sensible academics (Professor Robert Skidelsky

and Mr Felix Patrikeeff) were having

a conversation with a giraffe on this

very page only recently, solemnly putting forward more "guarantees" and "restraints" and "inalienable rights" and "ways of ensuring that

the agreement will stick". What the

giraffe said, history does not reveal.

but what I say can be put in the form

of another question: what can Britain do, and what do Professor

Skidelsky and Mr Patrikeeff think

Britain should do, if the Chinese

break 'every one of the treaty

conditions three days after the lease

We know what the Foreign Office

reverts to China?

their own subjects docile.

mean what they say.)

year, never mind 50?

young man, nervous, difficult, proud, exhibiting a kind of hyper-sensitivity which left him almost defenceless against the world. And clerk and later publisher, who fulfilled his obligations and arranged his tasks as if by so doing they might hide. And then there was the older man - stooped, deathly pale, ill,

pleasure from his fame. who emerged after his second marriage to Valerie Fletcher; he became a joyful and optimistic septuagenarian who considered taking up dancing lessons. Where was the key to unlock all these doors, so that the various images might meet and, in that meeting,

away in obscure publications. And a friends, the Schiffs, which he had quite different Eliot emerged - a written during the early years of his

There was also the fourth man,

Quite by chance I entered the Manuscript Room of the British Museum; out of curiosity I looked up the entry on Eliot and found there his correspondence with some own voice - and it was the voice of a man both considerate to his friends and attentive towards his wife, and yet of one who felt himself to be fighting an unequal battle against ercumstances. The contemporary memoirs which depicted a difficult and nervous young man suddenly began to cohere, for I had found their centre in Eliot himself. I had previously ignored the

possibility of finding such letters, believing them to be safely stowed away for the use of researchers in the next century (or even the one following that); but it was at this point that I decided to write to every university in England and America asking them for information about asking them for motivation about any Eliot material which was contained in their archives. I expected very little, but the response was overwhelming.

from Texas, Princeton, New York, Yale, California, Cornell, Arkansas, Virgi-nia, Maryland, and many other places, the answers came: yes, they did hold Eliot letters and documents, and I was quite at

liberty to see them. And so I travelled, using most of my relatively small advance in what had now become a personal quest for what Hugh Kenner has called the invisible poet. What I discovered is now in my biography: the fact that I could not quote, or even exactly paraphrase, the mat-erial which I uncovered mattered much less to me than the fact that I had, as it were, seen him at first hand and was able at last to turn him into a living figure - sometimes a baffling and bewildering one, but one in which I had found a coherence of personality and a

consistency of aim. It has been suggested to me that, because my biography is "unauthorized" it must therefore be at a disadvantage. I do not doubt that there are omissions, or that on occasions I have misinterpreted other people's memories, but I do not doubt, either, that this is the first coherent account of the man and his work. No biography can ever be "comprehensive", for the art of the biographer is necessarily inconclusive: the most important events in a man's life may be revealed to no one; the letters may be designed to conceal rather than to reveal certain matters: contemporary memoirs are

of their nature unreliable. The art of the biographer is, in that sense, one of interpretative scholarship - to avoid the fictional excesses which mark the biographies of putative novelists, and to eschew the pale parade of facts which are

sometimes forced to pass muster for During the 18 months of my research, I believe that I came to understand the man, and the forces that shaped him; and, by doing so, to lead myself and others back to the poetry with a finer perception of the crushing forces which formed it. If I have failed I am quite happy to lay my head on the block (academics make good executioners); if I have succeeded, I will have done something to bring the "invisible poet" into that light where he emerges as a more substantial, more complicated and more human figure than his admirers or critics seem to have

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George Walden

Cracks in the Soviet wall

Kremlinology is a dismal science. Like economics, it can be highly inexact and tediously frustrating. But it is also highly necessary. Just how necessary is shown by the quite unexpected disappearance of a very senior, powerful and able Soviet military leader - the Chief of Staff and deputy minister of defence, Marshal Ogarkov.

Kremlin-watching should be an applied science as well. We need to know not just what is happening, but what it means for the West, and what we should do about it. The reshuffling of Nikolai Ogarkov refocusses attention on questions close to the heart of our whole political strategy. Who is in charge of the Soviet Union - the Army or the Party? And are Soviet policies congealing into an immobile, introverted, and militaristic mould, with all that this would imply for the

Sovietology has its scholastics too. But the best of the breed make the Russians more, rather than less scrutable: not all Moscow's problems are so distinct from our own, and the Russians do not always think about them in entirely alien

In Ogarkov's case, the evidence is sparse: even the CIA is apparently puzzled. But it is reasonable to suppose that his vertical exit reflects a number of strains on the Soviet defence resources, between civilian and military priorities, and among contenders for the succession to Chernenko at a time of high levels of

East/West static. Soviet desence expenditure is colossal and unjustified by any corresponding threat. Moscow has not skimped either on tanks or SS20s. Yet the military frequently asks for even more. The phenomenon is not unknown in the West. But the proportion of GNP involved is far higher there than here, and the budgetary stresses in a country whose economic constraints are systematic, rather than cyclical, are considerable. These stresses are not eased by the advent of new technology. Like General Rogers of Nato, though for rather different reasons. Ogarkov is said to have wanted less nuclear and more advanced, conventional weaponry. Emerging technology comes expensive in both East and West. Interservice rivalries, also not unknown in Russia, must add to the combustible potential of the situ-

ation_ As the senior professional soldier, impatient to slip into the shoes of his civilian boss Marshal Ustinov, and thence into the Politburo, Ogarkov seems to have pushed his case and himself indecently hard. But the Politburo itself, always alert to "Bonapartism", appears to have got into a conventional pre-emptive

strike before Chernenko goes. What does this mean for our understanding of Soviet policy? Firstly, it would further undermine the convenient but simplistic view of the Soviet Union as to all intents and purposes a militaristic oligarchy with super-human powers and subhuman motivations. Whatever the truth behind Ogarkov's demotion, it hardly seems a sop to the military. For Nato important implications could be involved. It is tempting to

reflects the pressures on Soviet resource allocations, so much the better: the logic for the West can only be to up the arms stakes further, and squeeze the Soviet military till its pips squcak.

Superficially, such a strategy has a number of attractions: it is simple, politically virile, and apparently effective. In the longer term, it might induce the Russians to negotiate more seriously, ease them out of Afghanistan, and promote a more sober and amenable generation of Soviet leaders. In practice, leaving aside the effects on the western taxpayer. US interest rates, and Third World debt, this would be a high-risk policy with diminishing returns. Turning the screw also means raising the temperature. To the extent that it works, it has already been done, not least by Nato's response to the \$\$20s. Reagan has made his point.

The Ogarkov episode is signifi-cant in other ways. Until very recently, conventional wisdom had it that the Soviet Union had retired, sullen and resentful, into its shell. Now we have been reminded that there are explosive tensions beneath the carapace. With current leaders in their seventies, and the next generation in their fifties, the regime suffers from a unique combination of senescence and growing pains.

Meanwhile, the economic conflicts sharpen, and Soviet "allies" look less dependable. The tentative efforts of the East Germans - of all people - to assert themselves mark a watershed in the evolution of the Soviet empire and Central Europe. To quote a favourite Soviet platitude, life itself will not wait, either for the next American administration or for the Soviet leadership. Things are moving, because they cannot stand still. The Ogarkov incident reflects this as clearly as Moscow's sensible decision to agree to a meeting between Reagan and Gromyko. Immobilism is not a serious option for either

The truth about Ogarkov will eventually emerge, or be leaked. But already the affair suggests a number of policy lessons for the West. The first is that it is as wrong to underestimate an adversary's weaknesses, as it is his strengths. Soviet policies do not emerge fully formed, like Venus from the sea, but are made by men with differing priorities, perspectives and ambitions. Secondly, it reminds us of the fallibility of our interpretation of Soviet events - itself a reason for

Finally it encourages us not to give up hope of slowly shifting the Russians, by coolly persistent policies, not towards a new roseate mirage of detente, but to a more stable and secure relationship in which the West does not feel obliged

to make all the running. The alternative - an endless arms race - "not only inhibits the economic and social development of all countries, but places mankind on the brink of nuclear war". Thus said Marshal Ogarkov in Izvestia exactly one year ago. Even the Soviet

military sometimes has to face facts. The author is Conservative MP for argue that if the Ogarkov affair Buckingham.

Roy Strong

Moves of fantasy and brilliance

Sir Fredrick Ashton will be 80 on Monday. Few people in the arts in this country can have given so many so much pleasure and delight. It seems only a short time ago that there was the great gala at Covent Garden when he retired as director of the Royal Ballet. Even then the roll call of his ballets projected on to a front cloth seemed never ending. It was an event when those o younger generation saw brief snatches recreated from his earlier works, such as Margot Fonteyn in The Wise Virgins, a ballet that has long since vanished from the

repertory. Like so many, one was first aware of Ashton's work in the post-war era when what was to become our Royal Ballet moved to Covent Garden. That was a period when every year produced its new fresh crop of books of photographs of the productions and of the dancers, then presented as

cult figures in a way that was to be abandoned in the 1960s. In these publications there would always be a photograph of Ashton, usually amid a clutter of Edwardiana. stretching up his profile towards a sepia print of Queen Alexandra in a silver frame. The portrait photo-graphs of Ashton would indeed make a study in themselves right down to the recent panorama of him seated in his topiary garden. This carefully composed public persona

is, of course, an essential aspect of the man. So too are his abilities as a wit and courtier. Few people can excel him at mimicry and mime. It is the movement of his hands and fingers

that most stick in my mind. Over a decade ago I remember pointing that out to the formidable Mrs Ian Fleming at one of the gatherings over which she presided with an apparently permanent look of disapproval, David Hockney was there and I suggested what a marvellous sitter Ashton would make. One of those drawings is now in the National Portrait Gallery.

Ashton's social accomplishments make him an avid observer of le monde with a facility to pinpoint character in a few words and a wave of the hand. No one can rival his ability to tell a member of the Royal Family how, in the past, she would have descended in a cloud machine to dance a ballet, or describe Gertrude Lawrence making an entrance, or offer to give the present Lady Dufferin lessons in how to manipulate her train as a marchioness. All this is allied to a droll longeur that is difficult to reconcile

with such an abundance of work. Ashton is a master of the mask and the face, for behind the former lurks the latter which alone can explain the potency of his creations. They stem from wide reading, a deep feeling for the movement of the passions and an eagle eye for the

follies and folbles of mankind. These qualities are aligned to a typically British use of the romantic and modernist modes not as two opposites but as twin aspects of the same thing. Such a dialogue with styles in the arts' which are imports from the mainland, is as old as England. The adoption of the new wave is always piecemeal or layered on to the native tradition, like a palladian window on to an Elizabe-

than manor house. That touches on the essential Englishness of Ashton, which is not true of his successor, Macmillan. One feels, for instance, as though his Sleeping Beauty descended to us from Tzarist Russia and Diaghiley via the court masques of Stuart England. A ballet, like The Dream, draws on layers of allusion from Shakespeare to Victorian romanticism to the native feeling for natural phenomena and liking for rich Hogarthian humour. Facade, in retrospect, becomes the expression of the ethos of a period, the dance equivalent of E. F. Benson's magnificent Lucia. This richness explains why such ballets have taken

on the status of classics. It is, however, the great pas de deux that haunt the imagination. They are always placed at the true heart of his ballets, and provide the supreme moment when it seems as though a wand had been waved and time stood still as Oberon and Titania or Natalia Petrovna and Beliaev dance. All around one senses the audience catch its breath in sheer wonder. What greater legacy could one man's genius give us? Sir Roy Strong is Director of the Victoria and Albert Museum.

to those "who love in the valley of the shadow of books".

But then I began to read

there was another man - the bank form a carapace in which he might unable or unwilling to derive much

become the complete person?

Bernard Levin: the way we live now (whoever is in charge of it by then) will say: "Goodness gracious, whoever would have thought it, it all goes to show, well I never, upon my word, fancy that, what a turnup for the book, the Minister of State is as sick as a parrot, and HMG cannot, or more precisely can and will, stand idly by."

Very well, then, what would I

suggest that the British Government could and should do when the Chinese take over Hongkong and tear up Sir Geoffrey's agreement? The answer is that I do not suggest that the British Government could or should do anything at all. But that is why the British Government should start doing something the moment the agreement is signed (which I take it will be within the next few months, if not weeks). And what the British Government could and should start doing is to organize, in concert with all the countries of the world which live in freedom and profess to love it, a gigantic rescue plan, to be put into operation immediately rather than the evening before power is transferred, and by means of such a plan ensure that all those citizens of Hongkong who do not want to live under communism are provided with a means of

leaving the place, and settling There are roughly five million people in Hongkong. Some of them many, perhaps - will conclude that they can survive and even thrive after the British leave; others - the older ones predominantly - will feel that the upheaval involved in leaving is too great for them to face. A few will actually welcome communism. (Only a handful will believe the assurances given to them by China's rulers, and absolutely none will believe anything at all said

Let us suppose that that leaves three million. If, but only if, the resettlement operation starts soon after the surrender terms are signed. a dozen years will be ample to complete it. And Britain, as the nation responsible for the people of Hongkong, must take the first steps, in convening an international conference that will be charged with drawing up the plan, building the organization and above all establishing the numbers that each country will take.

by the British Foreign Office.)

There are roughly 40 countries in the world which could be described as free: some of them are only dubiously so, though even those are a good deal freer than China. But, odd though it may seem, the principle at the heart of this question is not freedom: The point of counting free countries is that they are probably the only ones which could be successfully invited to take a quota of Hongkong refugees. The case turns on something other than freedom, though obviously most of those who leave will do so in search of it. What lies at the foundations of this extraordinary and unique event is the principle that it would be wrong, monstrously, unforgivably and criminally wrong, to hand millions of people over to a totalitarian state against their will and without enabling them to refuse

to be thus handed over. Does that last sentence start the hair prickling on the back of your neck? It should, for your feeling that you have been here before is quite justified. Nikolai Tolstoy's Victims of Yalta and Nicholas Bethell's The Last Secret told the terrible story of how the British Foreign Office, at the end of the last war, rounded up, using lies, trickery and force, something like a million men, women and children, and sent them to the Soviet Union to die in Stalin's extermination camps. I am not suggesting that the Chinese rulers will murder the entire population of Hongkong (though if by 1997 there is a new Mao on the Chinese throne it would be a trifle compared to the numbers Mao did to death, and we must anyway remember that something like two million of the people of Hongkong got there as refugees from China); but the bloody precedent ought to be kept in mind, not only by us but by the Foreign

I repeat; the British Government have no alternative to drawing up an agreement with the Chinese for the orderly handover of Hongkong, in return for promises that the rights and way of life of its inhabitants will be respected. I do not even think they should be rebuked for pretending to believe their own assurances on the matter. But if they continue to behave as though they believe them, and thus leave the people of Hongkong to an unknown but potentially terrible fate, they should

not, and will not, be forgiven. C Times Newspapers Limited, 1984

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A CLAIM MADE OUT

bowled a question or two at the education, whether in the form They arrived just as the univer- or for reorientation or the a 10 per cent cut in real income over three years from 1981. They were the sort of questions suited to a climate of resource constraint. They were further prompted by the education department's projections of a dip in demand for higher education in the early 1990s commensurate with a fail in the size of the relevant age group - projections that have since been revised after being shown to have made too little allowance for trends acting to enlarge the "participation

How would the universities feel about an annual one per cent reduction in real income for the rest of the decade? Or two per cent? What was the scope for funding from private sources? And so on. Since then the Government has published an expenditure white paper which, on the reasonable expectation that the pay assumptions built in to it are no better guide to what happens than previous ones, gives the universities a further average annual reduction in real income of 1.5 per cent till 1986-

The UGC sounded out the universities on these and other matters, digested their replies, and have now sent Sir Keith his answer. The National Advisory Board for local authority controlled higher education had been asked to undertake a similar review. It too reports. NAB was established only two years ago.

In reply to Sir Keith's question and the Treasury's expenditure targets the two bodies go back to square one, which for present purposes is the Robbins report of 1963. They make a vigorous reassertion of the value of higher education to the persons undergoing it and to society in general. They fire on all four Robbins cylinders: the imparting of intellectual skills, development of general powers of the mind, advancement of learning (research), and the cultivation and transmission of a common culture. To this they

A year ago Sir Keith Joseph would add a fifth: continuing University Grants Committee. of vocational refresher courses, sities were beginning to pick development of new skills. It is themselves up after being hit by the pace of technological and social change that gives continuing education a claim to be included - and the contribution it could make to easing transitional unemployment.

> Another gloss is put on Robbins. Its famous axiom of access would now read that places in higher education should be provided for all who are able to benefit from them and wish to do so (instead of all who are qualified to pursue them and ...). The amendment is of no immediate significance but would assume importance when the number of candidates possessing the present required examination scores falls away temporarily in the next decade It puts the subjective in place of the objective, and is too lightly argued in these reports to be accepted as an obvious improvement.

This insistence on the value to society of what the universities and colleges do should hardly have been necessary. But it has been made necessary by the financial policies pursued by the Government in relation to higher education. The contribution to economic growth and a competitive economy coming from that quarter in the form of trained manpower and research (to put it no higher) has been undervalued in deed by the present government, which now rushes forward with stickingplaster schemes in the area of information technology.

The active relationship between expanding higher education (developing transferable intellectual skills - the ability to analyse, identify, synthesize, clarify, calculate, and communicate in familiarity with the basic concepts of a family of sciences or intellectual disciplines) and an innovating economy and society is a matter of judgment rather than demonstration. But the judgment sits with common sense, and it contradicts the Government's order of pri-The second second

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key to more jobs output of think tanks and institutes of radical thought these reports, especially the UGC's, may seem slumbrous. The UGC sees no virtue in shorter or more intensive degree courses. It does not see major

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financial savings coming from new teaching technologies or distance learning, welcome as they are for other reasons. It is happy with the binary system. It sees funding from private sources as being worth exploiting but as remaining at the margin: contract work can be expanded only so far before it introduces a wrong bias into the activities of an institution; if the Government wants an approach to transatlantic levels of private donation it will have to introduce transatlantic tax con-

If a review was required that

cessions.

went more freely and deeply into the pros and cons of recasting the system, the Government should have chosen the royal commission road, to which it is antipathetic. As it is, the UGC and NAB, primarily practitioners, have done their job well, which is to look not uncritically at the condition of their clients and advise as to their needs and development "to ensure that they are fully adequate to national needs". For its part the UGC, by the force and clarity with which it has stated the universities' needs and related them to national needs, will have repaired its reputation as an independent body standing between the universities and departments of state. Nor can it be accused of irresponsibility towards the general public objective of the containment of public expenditure.

Its minimal requirement is for truly level funding until the end of the decade, with some increase in student numbers included. That coincides with the Chancellor of the Exchequer's overall objective of a constant total of public expenditure. Within the total some categories of expenditure will expand and some shrink. The claim made on behalf of higher education is that it should at least not shrink. It is expenditure not on welfare but investment, and investment of the potentially most rewarding kind of all. The claim is made

AIRBUS ON THE RUNWAY

American World Airways and international consortium, an Airbus Industrie, the Frenchbased European aircraft consortium in which British Aerospace owns a fifth, looks like a breakthrough for the European effort to form a real competitor for Boeing in the airliner construction business. It is not settled. There are many details to be negotiated before PanAm's letter of intent for \$1 billion worth of three types of aircraft and \$1 billion worth of options are converted into contractual orders. There are question marks over who, including perhaps the British taxpayer, will actually finance all this hardware. But if the orders materialize, Airbus Industrie will have made a big stride, albeit at the competitive prices required in this cut-throat business, towards achieving the volume of orders needed to cover development overheads and establish the credibility of its products against American dominance.

The orders would safeguard the jobs of more than 5,000British craftsmen and engineers and give Rolls-Royce, which has

The agreement between Pan a 30 per cent share in another opportunity to compete with Franco-American rivals for the

engine contract.

That is not to say that the Airbus projects are economic. Still less does it mean that the British taxpayer will ever receive a return on the £250m recently advanced, with proper reluctance, by Mr Norman Tebbit to help the launch costs of the A 320, the new continental airliner at the beart of the PanAm deal.

Planemakers, like the great civil engineering contractors, are a special breed combining tough day-to-day realism, ruthless infighting and a romantic vision. They also seem inextricably tied up with government, either through defence work or development aid for civil projects hence Mr Tony Benn's tidy but ill-conceived nationalization

Their economics and accounting are even harder to grapple with, involving billions in preproduction overheads and decades before the outcome of a new

aircraft project can by fully

The risks are enormous. On some calculations, even Boeing, the most successful firm, has made good profits on only two commercial types and has still to earn an overall return on one model that has sold more than a thousand aircraft. The Airbus Industrie consortium, an illogical multi-national, multi-lingual. multi-tiered product of French dirigisme, does not even have to file proper accounts and on paper has even less chance of providing profits for its subcontractor shareholders or supporting governments.

Indeed, the economics are so tough that a recent analysis of British Aerospace by Mr Kerron Bhattacharya suggested the company's value would be doubled if it were shorn of its civil aircraft business. Airbus Industrie may have to sell 600 of the A 320 before the project makes money. The PanAm deal, including options, will bring putative sales above 100, but oil prices could have a dramatic effect on the future of this advanced fuel-efficient craft.

THE COCA AND THE POPPY

A shrub related to the geranium, the coca plant of the Andes was first enlisted in the service of medicine exactly a hundred years ago by the ophthalmic surgeon Carl Koller. He saw that its extract, cocaine, could be used to induce local anaesthesia; and thus for the first time make painless surgery possible without the hazards of rendering the patient unconscious. Today cocaine has largely been super-seded by synthetic substitutes which carry no risk of addiction. But its medical use soon gave rise to a thriving legitimate trade, and the plant was introduced into many other countries.

Even without Koller's discovery it is possible that the use of cocaine as a stimulant and hallucinogen would have spread much as it did. It already had a restricted allure in scientific circles (Sigmund Freud and Sherlock Holmes had both tried it before 1884), and a glamour of novelty that opium had long lost

plentiful than ever before. It is reported to be not much more expensive than heroin, even though the latter has become very much cheaper and more plentiful on the black market in the past two or three years. The network of supply appears to be

drug addiction has never been a serious problem before. These developments threaten to create a surge of public alarm similar to the one which arose in the late. 1960s, when the actual cause for concern was far less.

the mortality rate alone among British heroin addicts is about 20 times the average for their agegroup - but a public scare would not be helpful. Moralizers, politicians and sensation-seekers are already beginning to see the possibilities of playing on anxieties. But to cast an unduly lurid light on the problem tends to induce hysterical reactions, and by conferring a kind of glamour on addiction can actually make drugs more fascinating to some people at risk. Too many factors he behind the present epidemic

sweeping panaceas to be worthwhile. The vulnerability of our society may in part be due, as variously alleged, to the rise in unemployment, the weakening of family ties, or a less intense inculcation of an ethic of responsibility. But practical measures to combat the outbreak are likely to be of a more specific nature.

spreading into areas where hard side of the world probably have more to do with the present problem than any domestic need for more effective measures to catch consignments as they enter the country. Only international pressure, and assistance, can encourage supplying countries to replace the coca and reduce the profitability of the trade - though a trade as lucrative and highly-organized as this is tenacious once established.

As for the addicts themselves, the right balance between penal and rehabilitative action is hard to strike. Rehabilitation is at best a slow process involving many setbacks and requiring much support - for even if physical dependence is cured, the underlying vulnerability of personality is likely to remain. unambiguously: "My Lords, the Skilled, patient and accessible answer to both questions is yes." Skilled, patient and accessible support is needed. A public attitude of revulsion which obstructs the provision of help and drives the recovering addict into a role of pariah may only encourage the growth of a separate and self-sustaining drug-culture, as an endemic rather than an epidemic social

Cause and effects of acid rain Small firms the From Professor Kenneth Mellanby

From Mr Michael Grylls, MP for North West Surrey (Conservative) Sir, If any of your readers had any doubts about the wisdom of the Prime Minister's appointment of Mr David Young to the Cabinet, such doubts surely would have been swept aside by his first interview reported in *The Times* on September 12. For Mr Young's belief that "small businesses are the key to jobs for all" and his criticism of "the country's inability 20 years ago to establish small businesses employing one or two people which could today be employing hundreds" show his clear understanding of a true free

For too long it has been the big battalions who got their views through to Government; today is the day of the smaller firm and it will hearten them to have the ear of the newest member of the Cabinet.

market economy.

In the end, though, it is deeds not words that count. Though much has been done over the last five years to ease the lot of the entrepreneur, the climate in Britain for the small businessman is not good. In the recent Economist Intelligence Unit study the UK ranked ninth out of the ten EEC countries in an assessment of national climate for smaller firms. The obstacles and burdens are still daunting for the man wishing to start a business.

Too often, for the growing firm it is hard to raise long-term credit on reasonable terms. As a result viable projects for expansion never get off the ground.

In too many ways - which I am sure Mr Young will want to deal with - the "playing field" in Britain is tilted damagingly against small business.

Government must act to level off the "playing field" by discriminating in favour of the smaller growing firm. There could be no better way of operating the key to new jobs in Britain. Yours faithfully.

MICHAEL GRYLLS. House of Commons. September 14.

'Misery' in Scunthorpe From Mr M. Upham

Sir, Mr Richard Hickmet, MP (September 5) may be interested to know that the risk to Scunthorpe jobs and "economic misery" in the town did not start during the months of the miners' dispute.

To be specific, Scunthorpe's problems began in 1979 with the election of a Conservative government determined to reduce the size of the steel industry. Before that date Scunthorpe was known for its labour shortages. In that year a Nedo study vindicated production manning that time 11,000 BSC jobs have disappeared from the town, 2,800 of them in the closure of the Normanby Park works which his Conservative predecessor, Mr Michael Brown, enthusiastically supported.

As for "economic misery" in the town, another major cause of that is the displacement of proper BSC jobs by privatised employment contractors at considerably lower rates of pay. This of course is directly traceable to government policy.

These facts put Mr Hickmet's new concern for Scunthorpe unemployment in its proper context as well as his transparent attempt to pose as the steelworkers' friend. Yours faithfully, MARTIN UPHAM,

Research Officer. The Iron and Steel Trades Swinton House. 324 Gray's Inn Road, WC1.

Mont Louis dangers

From Mr John Huntingford Sir, The Chairman and Chief Executive of British Nuclear Fuels (September 10) takes "the media, some official bodies and at least one trade union" to task for demonstrating Pavlovian conditioned reflex to the word "radioactivity".

The point about reflexes is that they are, on the whole, life-preserving: the general public's natural suspicion of nuclear energy, in all its manifestations, is likely to prove in the long run to be far more trustworthy than the arguments of a few interested parties in government and the energy industry. Yours faithfully,

JOHN HUNTINGFORD. 16 Noel Road, NI. 10 September.

Soviet sea power

Colonel Draper's interpretation of the 1936 Montreux Convention (September 6) were it not that earlier statements by Foreign Office Ministers make it clear that the British Government has not so far shared his views. Thus, on October 7, 1976, the

firmed in a written answer dated

November 11, 1977.
To take Colonel Draper's points in order. 1. The text (articles 10, 11 and 12 and annex 2B) enumerates the explicitly defined, are not included in the list of permitted warships.

2. Although Jane's Fighting Ships may not have listed Kiev as such in 1975/76, she is clearly within the Convention's definition of an auroraft carrier, and indeed, from the beginning, she was almost universally described as one. Only the

implying uncertainty, surely.

3. Colonel Draper quotes Article I as establishing "the principle of free-dom of transit and navigation . . in the Straits" and suggests rights of passage for Kiev under that prin-ciple. But Article I continues: "the exercise of this freedom shall henceforth be regulated by the provisions of the present Convention" - provisions which spell out what ships may transit the Straits and how and when. The Black Sea itself may well be an "open sea", but levels which are quite harmless (and

unfortunately, the fungus parasite

which once more causes black spot

disease on urban roses) and damage

to our buildings has been greatly

be done. Only in comparatively

However, much still remains to

acid report", September 7) sums up the situation admirably and rightly recent years have we recognised that the air pollutants, particularly urges caution in adopting drastic sulphur dioxide, though diluted to measures which may prove ineffective, as we have only limited which may even be beneficial to resources to spend on pollution crops on sulphur-deficient soils) The letter today (September 11) from Mr Michael Lingens, chairman may be transformed in the atmosphere as they travel hundreds or even thousands of miles. They then of the Bow Group, urges action produce rain which may have no which he admits may be useless (and direct harmful effects on animals costly) apparently in an attempt to and plants but which, in susceptible impress the people of this country areas with suitable geology may acidify freshwater and produce toxic and show our goodwill to the rest of levels of metals which may kill fish. This damage is reported from Scandinavia and parts of Scotland, have in understanding the problem of air pollution (and "acid rain") is that the facts of the situation are so It is not directly correlated with the output from power stations. Since 1970 the sulphur dioxide emmitted

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

reduced.

Sir, Air pollution caused by indus-

try, domestic heating and power

generation is indeed a serious

problem, and we all wish to reduce

its effects. Your leading article ("An

The great difficulty many people

often misunderstood or misrep-

over Europe trees are withering, fish

are dying and stonework is crum-

This is in part true, but we need to know how much of this damage is caused by sulphur dioxide from

British power stations, and what

results a reduction in their output

posited in Scandinavia, even if the results may not be fully understood,

but comparatively little travels "all

over Europe", so it does not contribute to damage to German

trees and lakes. We must restrict our

argument to the consideration of the

Contrary to common belief, we in

pollution is clearly demonstrated. In

the last 30 years our cities have all

has improved, plants flourish where

become much cleaner, human health

previously they died (including

actual sites to which particular

pollutants travel.

British sulphur is indeed de-

would have in different countries.

Mr Lingens writes "meanwhile all

control.

Енгоре.

resented.

than a third, yet increased damage in Norway and Sweden is reported. There are good reasons to suggest that the rate of chemical change in the air travelling north from Britain is more important than the actual level of sulphur dioxide, and that decreased output could have little or

no effect. This is the problem which

in Britain has decreased by more

needs most urgently to be solved. The Friends of the Earth (Sentember 11) recommend economy to reduce energy-induced air pollution. The Watt Committee has also shown that fuel economies without a loss of efficiency are possible. However, we must not forget that such economies may have adverse effects. Had coal consumption (with probably increased pollution) kept up with the forecasts of 10 years ago, we would probably not have had a Britain have rather a good record in controlling air pollution, particularly when real damage from that coal strike.

Yours faithfully KENNETH MELLANBY, The Watt Committee on Energy Ltd. 18 Adam Street, WC2. September I i.

also mean pursuit of justice,

planning and acting for an environ-ment consonant with human dignity

- e.g., replacement of landlordism

and exploitation by certain foreign

firms, with self-help, cooperative

economics, so that things like water

supply are publicly, not privately

5. If clergy from cAD 800 to c1300

had not concerned themselves with

politics in the latter sense, with

social and economic issues, in a

manner not wholly dissimilar from

what is happening today in Latin

America, European civilization as

6. The evils suffered today by the

people of Poland are not as great as

those suffered by the people of

7. The Vatican's present stand against liberation theology is itself,

suspect, in both), a profoundly

several Latin-American countries.

we know it would not exist.

un its enects

political act.

Yours faithfully,

Liberation theology From Dr A. J. Black

Sir, As a Roman Catholic who believes that liberation theology is, in the main, one of the chief public works of the Holy Spirit in the latter 20th century, may I make these points:

1. Jesus was profoundly concerned with liberation from disease, hunger and other "material" evils, seeing in them a primary manifestation of Satan.

2. With Marx, as with any other thinker (e.g., Darwin, Hume), one should distinguish the good and true from the had and false: to do so is an imperative of conscience.

3. Around AD 313 the Church hierarchy abandoned the Christian tradition of pacifism for foreign Christianity teaches non-violence as an absolute principle, e.g., against Nazism. But violence is, certainly, always liable to have dangerous side

4. "Politics" may mean day-to-day power struggles, from which clergy should seek to abstain. But it may

A. J. BLACK, University of Dundee, Department of Political Science, September 7.

evidence and owners of private

papers seeking to sell them at the

are, however, not irreconcilable.

highest market price. The interests

Owners cannot be prevented from

selling their private papers without the introduction of formal restric-

tions upon sales which in this country have been found unaccept-

able or impracticable. But much else

has been achieved towards giving our libraries and record offices a

realistic opportunity to buy import-

On the one hand, capital tax concessions are designed to encour-

age owners to place their papers in

British institutions of their choice,

where their character as heirlooms

and historical archives will be retained. On the other, the avail-

ability of government purchase funds and grants has enabled archivists and keepers of manu-

scripts successfully to secure many

such collections.
Failures in this respect should not

therefore be thought to result solely from want of public funds. Among contributing factors the attractive terms which owners may be offered

for the purchase of historical papers by public institutions may still be

insufficiently appreciated.

BRIAN S. SMITH, Secretary, The Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts, Quality House,

Yours faithfully,

ant historical papers for the nation.

William Walton Trust From Lady Walton

Sir, On May 30, 1984, the William Walton Trust was established as a charitable trust in the UK. This trust will eventually receive the proceeds of Sir William's estate.

Its principal aims are to promote public education in the art of music and particularly the study, public performance and recordings of Walton's works.

My co-trustees and I also plan to establish a museum of Walton memorabilia. Therefore we are anxious to trace the whereabouts of any original Walton scores, letters, or other items of interest and I would be most grateful to any of your readers for any information as to where such are to be found or might be discovered. Yours sincerely.

SUSAN WALTON, La Mortella. 80075 Forio D'Ischia,

Corsini archive

From Mr B. S. Smith Sir, Your report (September 5) of the auction on behalf of a European nobleman of the sixteenth-century correspondence of the Corsini family, merchants in the City of London, draws attention to the conflict of interests between scholars anxious to preserve historical

Quality Court, Chancery Lane, WC2. September 10. the regime established by the Montreux Convention for the Straits is highly restrictive.

Shortly after Kiev's original exit in 1976, an official Soviet commentary on the Convention appeared to be proposing that its restrictions did not apply to the warships of riparian States: in effect, that although other parties' aircraft carriers might not transit the straits, the Soviet Union's

Western Governments had given

little thought to Kiev's exit, which scems to have taken them by surprise. With the new, unmistakable, aircraft carrier not due out for some years, there is plenty of warning. Does the Government and Nato - propose to accept the 1976 Soviet interpretation of the Montreux Convention, which would turn the Black Sea into something of a closed, "regional", sea? And if so what would be the implication for other international texts? And indeed for other seas? Yours etc.

ELIZABETH YOUNG.

Care of elderly in the home

From Mrs G. D. Mapleson

Sir. Over the last two years, I have been having some correspondence with the DHSS and MPs in an effort to secure the extension of the invalid care allowance (ICA) to married women - a humble measure which would give some financial help to all people who nurse their elderly/handicapped relatives in their own homes. This little personal campaign was born from the distressing experience of nursing my own two nonagenarian parents.

Predictably the Under Secretary replied that while he was sympathetic, it was "one of competing priorities that would be considered when funds were available" and that the £85m which such a scheme would cost couldn't be entertained

So it is with some hitterness that I learn from The Times (report, September 6) that the Minister has allowed an increase of £167m to provide customers for private nursing homes, private residential homes, and private board and lodgings.

Your account also gives the average local-limit payment for providing such accommodation as £116-£140 pw per person. To extend ICA to married women would cost £20.45 pw per person which, together with the patient's own attendance allowance at the top rates, would amount to £47.65 - less than half that being paid to strangers to care for strangers!

This seems to suggest that, not only does the Minister have his priorities wrong, but also getting value for money is not his strong point either. Yours sincerely.

G. D. MAPLESON, Padarn Close, Cardiff. September 9.

SDP and the Falklands

From Mr Alan Lec Williams Sir, Professor Regan is right (September 12). The Social Democratic Party's stand on the Falkland Islands is surprising and foolish. It certainly appears to reck of appease ment as well as a (almost) total disregard of the legitimate interests of the Falkland Islands.

To concede sovereignty to Argentina after 150 years would be to concede too much to short-term advantage. The islands have obvious value to Britain vis-a-vis the British Antarctic Territories which lie only just 800 miles to the South. My colleagues on the Council for Social Democracy have ignored the wider geopolitical aspects of Britain's defence of the islands.

International activity in Antartica is regulated by the Antarctic Treaty of 1959. There is manifest pressure for this to be revised in the early 1990s to take account of the interests original agreement. Also there are discussions in progress to find an agreement for regulating mineral extraction. Therefore possession of the Falklands, and including South Georgia, will do much to underpin the long-term credibility of British activity further south.

Finally the military value of the Falklands must be recognised in a situation where, for whatever rea-son, the Panama Canal were closed to shipping, thus forcing shipping to use the route round Cape Horn. Given the world-wide expansion of the Soviet navy, the strategic significance of the Falklands should

be given a higher profile than my SDP colleagues have yet recognised. I believe Dr David Owen's principled stand during the Falklands war contrasts sadly with the expedient position his party has nov adopted.

Yours faithfully, ALAN LEE WILLIAMS. Reform Club. Pall Mall, SW1. September 12.

Freemasonry and police From the Reverend H. Giddings

Sir, Surely Mr Brunskill (September 12) is wrong to present Freemasonry as an innocent party, suffering unjustly from the recent police statements. He and the Reverend Sydney Linton should recognise that the Freemasons bring suspicion on themselves by conducting their affairs in secret. If they have nothing to be ashamed of, why do they do

The best thing for the Freemasons to do now would be to follow the example of the police and conduct their business openly. They should be ready at all times to explain themselves to the public. Let them do away with their outdated posture within society and reveal all. We would then see whether their exclusive organisation is better described as sound or sinister.

In the meantime, we remain grateful for Mr Brunskill's reassurance in general terms that Freemasonry is dedicated to the good of society. He will, however, have to accept that until more detail is known of its activities, the public is bound to have reservations about Freemasonry. Most people want to know who their benefactors are and where they obtain their resources. Yours faithfully.

HOWARD GIDDINGS. The Rectory,

Birch, Colchester, September 13.

Hounded by the press

From Mr George Newman, QC Sir, Media harassment? Surely Mr. Scargill realises that they simply wish to communicate with him peacefully. Yours faithfully, GEORGE NEWMAN, 1 Crown Office Row, Temple, EC4.

Control of the state of the state of

fantas

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Today it is cheaper and more

Supply factors on the other evil.

The dangers are perfectly real

for sweeping accusations and

influences. There is clearly a the poppy with other crops from which a living can be made. Measures to allow the seizure of the profits of convicted dealers where possible may help to

From Mrs Elizabeth Young Sir, I would hesitate to dispute

FCO Minister of State in the House of Lords, answering the question, "Do the Government accept that the Soviet Government did in fact pass an aircraft carrier through the Bosporus and, if so, do they agree that that was in contravention of the Montreux Convention?", said That this was indeed the Government's considered view was con-

warships which may, observing certain conditions, transit the Straits; aircraft carriers, which are

Soviet Union has continued to use delicate euphemisms, referring to Kiev and her sister ships as "aircraft-carrying ships", or as "large anti-submarine ships": a practice There can in any case be no question at all about whether the large nuclear-powered ship now being built in the Black Sea is or is not an aircraft carrier.

100 Bayswater Road-September 11.

Hallo, Mr Chips: Some of the girls who have been admitted to the lower sixth form of James Hilton's old school, The Leys,

Cambridge, getting to know fellow pupils on the first day of term yesterday. Since it was founded in 1875 the school, which inspired Goodbye, Mr Chips, has been for boys only (Photograph: John Voos)

The coherence of the life of Jesus

COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT **CIRCULAR**

KENSINGTON PALACE September 14: The Princess
Margaret, Countess of Snowdon
today visited Glasgow and was
received on arrival at Glasgow
Airport by Her Majesty's Deputy

Leutenant for the City of Glasgow (Mr John Young). Her Royal Highness this after-noon visited Glasgow Western Infirmary and saw the research ng undertaken by Tenovus-

The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, Colonel-in-Chief The Royal Highland Fusiliers (Princess

Forthcoming

marriages Sir Francis Sykes, Bt, and Mrs W. G. Ogden

The engagement is announced between Francis Sykes and Ethel Ogden, widow of Commander W. G. Ogden (RNVR retd.), of Ludlow. Mr L. N. FitzSimous and Miss R. W. Elton

The engagement is announced between Neal FitzSimons, of Kensington, Maryland, United States, and Rebecca, younger daughter of the late Sir Arthur Elton, of Clevedon Court. Somerset Clevedon Court, Somerset

the engagement is announced between David, son of the late Mr and Mrs G. F. Gibbs, of Scaford, Sussex, and Philippa, daughter of Lady Wheare and the late Sir Kenneth Wheare, of Oxford, Mr N. J. Crossman and Miss M. V. Watts

and Mrs D. E. T. Crossman, of Hendon, London, and Margot, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs Watts, of Primrose Hill, London

M G.-B. dn Bois and Miss S. Morrell The engagement is announced between Gny-Bernard, elder son of

Mr C. E. Gregory and Miss T. R. B. McGuinness

The engagement is announced between Chris, son of Mr E. Gregory, of Chalfont St Giles, Buckinghamshire, and Mrs P. H. Gregory, of Angmering, West Susser, and Teresa, daughter of Mr and Mrs L. H. S. McGuinness, of North Each let.

Mrs I. J. Hancock, of Newark-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire, and Juliet, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs M. Kinchin-Smith, of Epwell, Oxford-

Mr P. J. W. Johnson

M G. Havelange and Miss J. M. Green The engagement is announced Ar. Havelange, of Bruxelles, Belgium, and Joanne Mary, only daughter of Mr and Mrs J. M. Green, of Welwyn, Hertfordshire.

and Miss G. Curry The engagement is announced between Peter, son of Dr and Mrs F. W. Johnson, of Hinton Priory, Avon, and Gemma, daughter of Group Captain and Mrs J. M.

Curry, of the Royal Air Force College, Cranwell, Lincolnshire.

Mr J. C. Lepp and Miss Y. P. Brass

The engagement is announced between James Charles Lepp, of Guernsey, elder son of Mr and Mrs J. P. Lepp. and Yvonne Patricia, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. W. Brass, of Wilmslow, Cheshire.

Mr C. J. Miliar and Mrs J. P. Dixon The engagement is announced between Christopher John Millar, of King Street, Canterbury, and June Patricia Dixon, of Nassau Road,

Nir J. Rowland

and Miss B. Brenninkmeyer The engagement is announced between Jonathan, elder son of Mr and Mrs A. F. Rowland, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, United States, and Brigitte, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs R. B. Brenninkmeyer, of Brussels, Belgium.

A new kind of nylon, whose molecules are twisted, like a

spring, into a helix, has been

discovered by researchers in

Spain. Ordinary nylons have a

flat, zigzag structure with long

straight sections.

The twisting of the new nylon, according to Dr José Subirana and his colleagues at

the Institute of Macromolecu-lar Chemistry, Barcelona, closely mimics the twisting of

proteins, the main structural

The new nylon, like all

plastics, is a polymer consist-

ing of a simple sub-unit

repeated many times on a long

polymers - they are in that

seuse natural plastics – in

which the sub-units are amino

But whereas most platics

have straight (or at most

crooked) molecules, proteins

tend to curl up in the so-called

"alpha-helix". In that helix,

discovered by Dr Linus Pauling, the molecule turns once

every 11 atomic steps along its

carbon backbone. The new

nylon makes one turn every 13

chain. Proteins are also

molecules of life.

Ayrshire Regiment), was present this evening at the Regimental Dinner given by the Officers of the Regiment at Trades House, Glasgow.

Her Royal Highness, who travelled in a BAe 146 aircraft of British Aerospace, was attended by Lady Aird and Major The Lord Napier and Ettrick.

The service of thanksgiving for the life of Sir John Russell will take place on Wednesday, October 24, at St Martin-in-the-Fields, at noon and not on October 25.

Scotland.

The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, Colonel-in-Chief The Royal Highland Fusiliers (Princess Margaret's Own Glasgow and A service of thanksgiving for the life of Lieutenant-Colonel W D Keown-Boyd will be held at St George's Church, Hanover Square, London, at noon on Tuesday, October 9.

Mr D. F. Gibbs and Miss P. C. M. Wheare

The engagement is announced

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, second son of Mr

between Cry-Dernard, enter son of Ecuyer and Mme Guy-Jacques du Bois, of Brussels, and Stephanie, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs Sydney Morrell, of New York and

Mr M. S. Hancock

and Miss J. C. Kinchin-Smith The engagement is announced between Malcolm, son of Mr and

and Miss J. J. Brown
The marriage took place on
Saturday, September 8, at Northleach, Gloucestershire, of Mr
Jonathan Foster, only son of the late Mr and Mrs Norman Foster, formerly of Little Bealings, Suffolk, and Miss Julie Jane Brown, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs Laurence

was best man.

Mr S. W. Stockdale and Miss C. C. Bodenberg

Mr D. Webber

The marriage took place on September 15 in Wellington, New Zealand, of Mr David Webber,

Science report

Nylonwithatwistdiscovered

By a Special Correspondent

reason for the turn is probably

the same in both cases: the

properties of nitrogen. Nylon, crudely speaking, is polythene plus nitrogen. If polythene is simply a long chain of carbon atoms, nylon inserts a nitrogen

atom here and there, giving the

Proteins also involve nitro-

gen, as every amino acid is based on a nitrogen-carbon bond (hence the need for nitrogen fertilizer). In pro-

teins, there is a nitrogen every

chain. This is much more frequent than the nitrogens in

colleagues pushed the nitrogen content of their nylon up to one

nitrogen every three carbons,

close to the ratio in proteins.

making a class of nylons called

nylon-3".

The hope was that such a

nylon would carl like proteins, because of the tendency of nitrogen to make a loose bond

with hydrogens on other parts

of the molecule. (In that sense,

nitrogen in a polymer is

But Dr Subirana and his

chain a kink.

most nylons.

Moreover, the chemical

Marriages

Earl Jermyn and Miss F. Fisher

The marriage took place at St Mary's, ickworth, yesterday, of Earl Jermyn, son of the Marquess of Bristol and Mrs Edward Lambton, and Miss Francesca Fisher, daughter of Mr and Mrs Douglas Fisher. The Very Rev Raymond Furnell officiated, assisted by the Rev J. Brookes

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Charles Bland, Louise Robinson, and Clementine Langton. Mr Jonathan Ruane was best man. A reception was held at Ickworth.

Mr P. A. E. Bellville and the Hon Lucinda Wallop

The marriage took place on Saturday, September 18, at St Andrews, Farleigh Wallop, between Mr Patrick A. E. Bellville and the Hon Lucina Wallop. The Rev Thomas Kime officiated.

Mr R. R. Harbon

Mr R. R. Harford
and Miss C. M. P. Hornsby
The marriage took place at the
Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm Street, yesterday of Mr.
Robert Ralph Harbord, elder son of
Mr and Mrs Ralph Harbord, of
South Ascot, Berkshire, and Miss
Clare Mary Petre Hornsby, elder
daughter of the late Caustin daughter of the late Captain Thomas Hornsby and the Hon Mrs Roger Bence, of Limpsfield, Surrey. Father Peter Knott, SJ, officiated,

The bride, who was given in marriage by her stepfather, Mr Roger Bence, was attended by Richard and Katherine Petre Bence, William Pringle and Tammy Riley-Smith Mr Jersmy Harberd was her Smith. Mr Jeremy Harbord was best

A reception was held at the Cavalry and Guards Club and the honeymoon will be spent abroad.

Mr R. P. C. Adamson

and Miss C. M. Hibbs
The marriage took place on Friday,
September 14 at the Church of the Sacred Heart, St Aubin, Jersey, between Mr R. P. C. Adamson, of Cambridge, and Miss C. M. Hibbs, of St Brelade, Jersey.

Mr J. R. M. Foster

Brown, of Yelverton, Devon. The bride's uncle the Rev Philip Brown,

officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Mr Richard Fairbairn A reception was held at The Greenway, Shurdington.

and Miss C. C. Bodenberg

The marriage took place on
Saturday, September 8, 1984, at St
Lawrence's Church, Over Peover,
Cheshire, of Mr Simon William
Stockdale, second son of Mr and
Mrs K. H. Stockdale, of Adlington,
Cheshire, and Miss Caroline Claire
Budenberg, only daughter of Mr and
Mrs G. F. Budenberg, of Lower
Withinston, Cheshire.

and Miss J. M. Milliken Zealand, of Mr David Webber, younger son of the late Mr Ernest Webber and Mrs Valerie Rodrigues, of New Plymouth, and Miss Jane Milliken, only daughter of the late Mr William Morrissey Milliken, of Auckland, and Mrs Joan Milliken, of Russell.

Jesus of Nazareth no new accepted to the point of physical

and unequivocal terms that by compelling show of power, the conception and birth of Living as part of his creation, he

It is commonly supposed that to person was created. What

happened was that the second

up in Palestine exercised a

That being so, it was wholly congruous for the manner of his

conception to differ from that of

a new person. Had he been born

of sexual intercourse, it would,

indeed, have been necessary for

God to intervene and to

overrule the normal link

ensure that as a result a new

person did not come into being.

virginal conception proves the

touchstone of belief about the

The purpose of the incar-

nation was the re-creation of

So Christ did not achieve his

work by a dramatic and

Person of Christ.

It is not suggested that the

believe that Jesus Christ was happened was that the second born of a Virgin and that he person of the Trinity entered

Such would be the case if public ministry, and then

Christians believed that God suffered a criminal's death was and the world existed in none other than God himself.

isolation from each other, any not just an exceptionally good

action by God being confined to man who came to merit the

and, within them, also working as a result of the normal process

reflects what the Church under- true. In that sense, belief in the

stood to have taken place in virginal conception can be a

the initial act of creation and to description of divine.

of cause and effect

such special interventions.

The Bible, however, speaks of

God in a continuing relation-

ship to creation, both in sustaining its normal processes

to draw man to that com-munion with himself for which

man was created. It is within

that relationship that the par-

ticular acts of God in history,

culminating in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus of

The virginal conception was understood from the very

beginning as a statement about

God and about Jesus, and only

secondarily about Mary. It

Bethlehem. When a man begets

and a woman conceives a child

a new person is created, a

person who has not previously

The Creeds were hammered

out to affirm in unmistakable

existed.

Nazareth, take place.

Birthdays TODAY: The Rev Professor P. R. Ackroyd, 67; Mr R. A. S. Arnell, 67; Sir Donald Bailey, 83; Mr C. Bone, 58; Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Walter 58; Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Walter
Bromley-Davenport, 81; Dame
Sylvia Crowe, 83; Lord Eden of
Winton, 59; General Sir Victor
FitzGeorge-Baffour, 71; Dr Richard
Gordon, 63; Miss Margaret Lockwood, 68; Miss Jessye Norman, 39;
Viscount Norwich, 55; Sir Clive 11. 55; Sir Clive

TOMORROW: Miss Lauren Bacall, 60; Sir Alexander Giles, 69; Lord Grimthorpe, 69; Lord Hender-Lord Grimthorpe, 69; Lord Henderson of Brompton, 62; Mr Francis Hock, 85; Mr Andy Irvine, 33; Mr Kenneth Lindsay, 87; Sir John Megaw, 75; Sir Andrew Noble, 80; Surgeon Rear-Admiral L B. Surgeon Rear-Admiral L. B. Osborne, 84; Sir John Page, MP, 65; Baroness Pike, 66; Miss Sheila Quinn, 64; Mr B. R. Roberts, 78; Lord Pages of Char Library Lord Ryder of Eaton Hastings, 68; Sir John Saint, 87; Mrs Steve Shirley, 51; Mr M. J. Stewart, 52; Professor Sir John Walton, 62.

Latest appointments

Latest appointments include:
Dr M. Howe to be director of the
composition policy division of the
Office of Fair Trading, from
November 5 in succession to Mr L.
Lightman.

Sir Brian Windeyer to be president of the Royal Surgical Aid Society.

GWR medal

An official medal to commemorate next year's 150th anniversary of the Great Western Railway is to be issued next month. It will show the Firefly locomotive, the world's first production-line engine, and will bear the arms of cities and towns

"sticky", and molecules including nitrogen tend to stick to themselves or each other

Other groups before Dr Subirana had worked on nylon-3 with no success in finding curling. But by playing with the exact structures and

nature of the sub-unit in the polymer, the Spanish group has produced a nylon-3 that

does curl, according to obser-

vations with X-rays and other

nylon-3 is poly-(alpha-isobu-

tyl-L-aspartate), but that complicated name hides that

molecule's first direct link yet

between artificial polymers, like nylon, and their natural

The analogy, of course,

Technically, the

counterparts, proteins.

like pieces of sticky tape.)

Dinner

Chartered Society of Physiotherapy The annual dinner of the Chartered Society of Physiotherapy was held at Mayoress of Exeter, and Mr Vernon Seccombe, Chairman of the South-

Service dinners The Royal Highland Fusiliers Princess Margaret, Colonel in Chief, dined with officers of The Royal Highland Fusiliers at the Trades Hall of Glasgow last night.

Joint Air Reconnaissance Intelligence Centre
Group Captain R. F. Saunders.
Officer Commanding JARIC, and
members of the officers' mess held a

Latest wills

dinner yesterday to commemorate the forty-fourth anniversary of the Battle of Britain. Wing Commander D. Hollin presided.

The Hon Michael William Berkeley Portman, of Brighton, the writer, left estate valued at £474,230 net.

Lady Durand, of Tenterden, Kent,

left £444,337 net.
Mr Michael Paul Elliott, of Edale,

Derbyshire, artistic director of the Manchester Royal Exchange Theatre, who died intestate, left

West, Mr Alan, of Sevenoaks

after Trinity

Church news

Naval Staff.

RAF Innsworth

Service reception

Battle of Britain reception held in

dent of the mess committee, and their ladies received the guests.

ham, and Tewkesbury Borough.

Appointments " The Rev A J F Sharp. Priest-in-charge of Leverton, diocese of Lincoln, to be vicar of church Broughton with Boylestone and Siston-on-line-fill, and Priest-to-charge of Trustey, diocese of Derby. The Rev J W Sweed, Vicar of Hatfield Doncaster, diocase of Shafibid, to be ale Rural Doan of Snaith and Hatfield, same diocese
The Rev D Wells, Vical of Crowle and
The Rev D Wells, Vical of Crowle and
The Rev D bean of Droitwich, diocese of
Worcester, to be also an Honorary Canon of
Worcester Cathodina.

F73,390 net. Sir John Patrick McLannahan Power, of Chichester, left £46,972 Resignations and Retirements The Rev R S P Hingley, Curtale of All Saints Broseley, diocese of Hereford, resigned of Other estates include (net, before Other estates measure tax paid:
Davis, Mr Trevor Worthy, of Burton upon Trent £239,252
Saxton, Mr Clifford Clive, of Oxford, accountant £235,896
Webb, Mr Kenneth William George, of Banstead, Surrey Broseley, discesse of Hereford, resigned on August 51. Rw' Horner, Rector of Chinnor with Emminopton and Stydenham, discesse of Cofford, in refine on New York of Hermall with Herk, discesse of Systemed, resigned on August 51.

The Rev J 1 Jones, Vicar of Laughton-en-le Morther, discesse of Stretfield, resigned on July 31.

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Church in Wales The Rev R T Wilcox. Rector of Collon with Bittifield. Rupaley. diocese of Lichfield. to Licondevol Rhyddersh. Licenship Liconde-lock furth Usik and Liamantiffraed. Rural Deanery of Alongavenoy.

Trails). The Rector.

ST BRIDES. Float Street: Choral M and Eucharist. 11. short service Contact. Benedicts. 11. short service Contact. Benedicts. 11. short service Contact. Benedicts. Harwood to A flat. Prebendary H Feurs. Choral E. 6.20 (Smith of Durbam). May and Name direlines: Blow in the Durbam May and Name direlines: Blow in the Durbam May and Name direlines: Blow in the Durbam May and St. 1. St. 1.

Beesign. ST MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS HC (1662). 8. 12.30: family Communion, 9.46. Rev C Hedisey IdS, 11.30, Rev J Bennett ES, 6.30, Rev C Hedisy.

ES. 6.30. Rev C Hedney.

ST MARY ABBOTS. Kensington: HC. 8 and 12.50: sung Burnaris. 9.30. Rev M J Thompson: M, 11.15. the Vicer: E, 6.30. Rev M J Thompson: M, 11.15. the Vicer: E, 6.30. Rev P M Arrold.

ST MARY'S. Bourne Street i.M. 8. 9.45. T. HM. 11. Missas brevs in D Oktosyn. Exaltation is (Lassun). Ave verum corpus. Children F. J. Gillingi: E and Science Science Street, F. J. Gillingi: E and Science Science Street, S. T. MARYLEKINE. Parksh Church: HC. 9 and 11. Krondmysmasset (KS17) Octozern. Sci me as a seal (Wallon). Rev D Head: 6.30, Rev C K Harnel Cooke.

£209,212 Willmore, Mr Henry Charles Leslie, withmore, Mr Frank Bryan, of Solibuli Wood, Mr Frank Bryan, of Solibuli £210,534 (Lloyd Webber). Rev J S W Young: Soleran E sormon and benediction. 6. Walmisley in D minor, Rev J W Holden. Services tomorrow: Thirteenth Sunday CHELSEA OLD CHURCH: HC 8. noom: Children's service. 10. 11. 6. Rev C E 1

ST PAUL'S CATHEDRAL INC. 8: M. 10.50, July, hayder in A flat. TD. (Voreibal, 10.50, July, hayder in A flat. TD. (Voreibal, 19.50, July, hayder in A flat. TD. (Voreibal, 19.50, height stem nomine (Asula); int. Adoranus le. Domine (Asula); E. 3.15. Mag and hung dimuttis, short service Govesion). A. O Praise the Lore Narren), Rev P Dolaney. The Lore Narren), Rev P Dolaney. The Control of the Cont

SOUTHWARK CATHEDRAL: HC. 9: Elicharte. 11. Misse Acterne Carlet; Misses Acterne Carlet; Misses Acterne Carlet; Misses Acterne Carlet; Misses Acterne Callet; Carlon R Garrard: E. Z. Stanford in C. A. Hour my prover oblembelschu), the Provent. NAVAL COLLEGE CHAPEL.
ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE CHAPEL.
Greenwich (public welcomed): MP, 11, int.
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for the seaso of Jerumaiem (Goes), the Chaptein.
GLIARDS CHAPEL Wellington Barracies: M. 11, the Chaptein, HC noon.
TOWER OF LONDON (quittie welcomed): HC. 9.18; M. 11, TD, five-part (Tailin), AC Lord God of Hosts (Purcell), the Crantizin.
ST CLEMENT DANISS (RAF Church) Grabile welcomed: HC. 8.20, 12.18; Battle of Britain Thanisalving Service. 11, Creater love hath no Man Greiand). Lord Bishop of Landon.
GHAPEL ROYAL Hamptein Court Polace: HC. 8.30; M. 11 Vanghan Williams in G. Walfe d Davice in G. A. Bent: Quorum via Stanford; Bishop of Sanh and Wells. E. 3.30, Inf. O come ye servants. (Tye), Harmood is A fiat. A. Great Lord of Lords (Gibbons). raises many hopes about applications, possibly in medi-cine, but for the moment the new nylon is at a very early stage; just a few strands in a chemical laboratory. For applications we must wait to see if any developer takes up the lead given in Spain, Source: Nature, Vol 311, p53 (September 6, 1984). (Gibbone).

ALL HALLOWS BY THE TOWER: Sung Eucherter, 11, Rev C de Mello.
ALL SOULS, Langham Place HC, 9 30: 11. Rev M Lavacot, 6.30. BBC World Service Broadcast, Rev R Bewes, ALL SAINTE, Margarel Street; LM, 9 and 6.18: M 10.20; HW 11, the Prince of Peace

would contradict his own insistence on the essentially rose from the dead in body as into a new relationship with the well as in spirit means believing world, which he had created, demonstrating that if creation. sacramental nature of life on that God intervened in human and united a human body and a earth as containing both signs of eternal life and as the sphere which includes humankind, is history in a way which was human nature to himself. In put wholly into the hands of contrary to the normal patterns other words, the man who grew which it is first to be experi-

man's rejection of his creator. The climax of His work came when He rose from the dead, God, it is transformed and not destroyed.

The resurrection is about what happened to Jesus, not, as he could not be raised, which is some suppose, about what happened to the disciples or about what they thought. The evidence in the New Testament clear unless it is approached with the presupposition that the resurrection could not possibly have taken place.

When the Scriptures say that Jesus rose from the dead, in body as well as spirit, they are saying that he enabled the created world to fulful its true purpose. His body was not between cause and effect to merely revived but was liberated to express the divine will and glory.

Men and women baptized into union with the risen Christ divinity of Jesus but that it is can enjoy the fruits of that wholly appropriate and ex-pected if the traditional belief lives in him and share in the liberation, be freed to live new that Jesus is God incarnate is redemption of the created world by using it for God.

it would have been very strange if he, "by whom all things were made", having taken a human body and a human nature from creation man and the universe by love. and lived wholly for the Father, were to be subject to decay and COTTUDUOU.

If Our Lord's body was not raised, one of two things would seem to be implied. Either he

Royal Naval Medical Cinh The annual dinner of the Royal School news Naval Medical Club was held in the Painted Hall at Greenwich yesterday. Surgeon Rear-Admiral G. J. Milton-Thompson, acting Medical Director General, presided and the Bedford High School

Autumn Term began at Bedford High School on Thursday, Sep-tember 13, and ends on December 18. The Music House will be opened principal guest was Vice-Admiral Sir Peter Stanford, Vice-Chief of the on Harvest Sale Day, September 22, by Mr John Dankworth. The Sixth term. The joint production of The Passion takes place at Bedford School from December 12 to 15. The Christmas concerts will be on December 11 and 12 at 7.30pm. The The Lord Lieutenant of Gloucester-shire was represented by Brigadier M D K Dauncey at the annual guest of honour at Speech Day on December 14 will be Baroness Platt of Writtle, Chairman of the Equal Opportunities Commission, who will lay the foundation stone for the battle of Britain reception field in the officer's mess, RAF Innsworth, last night. Air Vice-Marshal J B Duxbury. Air Secretary, Wing Commander J Rennie, Station Commander RAF Innsworth, Wing Commander N Dunnington, Presi-

The alternative is to say that

to imply that evil and decay

were to have the last word, In

basic Christian belief that the

God who was in Christ

reconciling the world to himself

is the God who created the world which, though warped and wounded is fundamentally

good and designed to reflect his

speak of the "wonderful coher-ence of Christian doctine". The

Christian Gospel and the

doctrines which seek to express

its meaning form an intelligible

whole and can be gloriously

Graham Leonard

Bishep of London

seen as such.

Bishop Charles Gore used to

life.

new junior school

Channing School Autumn Term began on Thursday, September 13, with Mrs Isabel Raphael as headmistress. Ginni-Lee Among those present were: The High Sheriff of Gloucestershire, Mrs Sally Oppenheim-Barnes, MP, and the Mayors of Gloucester. Cheltende Botton is head girl. Centenary celebrations kegin with a musical evening on September 30 and a bazzar on December 1.

Emscote Lawn, Warwick

Autumn Term at Emscote Lawn Preparatory School began this week. Joint head Boys are Timothy Hoggarth and Marcus Reynolds, and Nicola Clay has been appointed head girl. Speech Day will be held at the Learnington Spa. Centre on October 6, at which Miss V. R. Belton, Headmistress of Edgbaston High School for Girls, will be the guest speaker. A building is to be erected around the school's new swimthing pool during this term. Term ends on December 19 after the school carol service at Holy Trinity Church, Learnington Spa. Autumn Term at Emscote Lawn

The Grange Training Centre

Trinity Church, Learnington Spa.

Miss Elizabeth Harris has succeeded Miss Jean Cram as Principal of The Grange Training Centre for the Handicapped, Bookham, Surrey.

ST MICHAEL'S. Chester Square: HC. 8.16 HC. 11. Rev J A Mumford: EP. 6.30, Rev E Triomson.

SROSVENOR OLD CHURCH. South
Audiey Street HC. 8.15 Sting Eucharist.
1. Collegium Regale Communion Service
Howelid. Beatl quorum via (Stanford). Rev
7. 4 W Market TREATTY. Brompton: HC, 8, 9 M., 11, Rev J D irvine: ES, 6.30. Rev SUNDER M., 14, REV S. P. CONSOT ROSE: HC. 8.30, 12.08. Chorat MP. 11, Rev H Cook. HOLY TRINITY. Stone Street: HC. 8.30, Eucharist, HC, 10.30, Canon Roberts: HC. E.C. Eucharist, HC, 10.30, Canon Roberts: HC.

ORATORY, SW7: L.M., 7. 8, 9, 10: HM, 11, Mass Te er Petrus (Palestrina), Insense et vanse curse (Haydri' Lm 12.30, 430, 7; Vespers, 2.30, 0 astrum convivion, Ulariene) Mindern).

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ST COLLIMBA'S (Church of Scotland), Pont Street: 11. 6.30, New W. A. Cairne. CROWN COURT: CHURCH i Church of Scotland, Russell Street, Cowent Garden; 11.15. 6.30, Rev J. Miller Scotl. ST. ANNE AND ST. AGNES (Lubreran) Gresham Street: HG, 11: (Inquiries: 769 2677).

CONTRAL, Westrebriter 11 and 6.30, Rev Dr.R. J. Tustor, City Temple, Hosborn Visitud: EC 11, 6.30, Rev Dr. B. Johanson, WESTMINSTER CHAPEL, Buckingham Cale: 11 and 6.30, Rev Dr. R.T. Kendall, WESLEY'S CHAPEL, City Road: 11, Dr. R. C. Gibblins.

OBITUARY JANET GAYNOR Star of both silent and sound films

Janet Gaynor, the first film actress to win a Hollywood Oscar, died yesterday at Palm Springs, California, She was 77.
Only five feet high, with appealing baby face and saucer eyes, she was one of the most popular stars of the late silent and early sound period and took over from Mary Pickford the title of "America's sweetheart". She formed a successful partnership with Charles Farrell in a series of sentimental, romantic films which effectively exploited her innocent charm, and also appeared in several musicals. She retired from the screen while still in her early

thirties, wealthy enough not to have to work again. She was born Laura Gainor in Philadelphia in 1906, and was encouraged to try her luck in Hollywood by an ambitious mother. From selling pro-grammes in a Los Angeles theatre she began to get work as a film extra and graduated to small parts in two-reeler West-

She was signed up by the Fox company and made her first full-length picture, The Johnstown Flood, in 1926. Four more and not worth raising. That films followed in the same year, including two for John Ford, but her first big success came in The Seventh Heaven, as a Parisian waif befriended by Charles Farrell. She was with Farrell again in Street Angel and gave one of the best performances of the silent cinema as the suffering wife in Murnau's Sunrise.

that event the only solution would be for man to be freed It was for a combination of these three films that she descrivedly won the best actress from the shackles of physical existence for a purely spiritual Oscar at the first Academy Awards ceremony in 1929.

Such a view represents a regression to that dualist atti-Unlike some of her contemporaries, she triumphantly surtude which regards matter both vived the transition from silents as essentially evil and only the to sound, making Sunny Side Up and High Society Blues. spiritual as good. It conflicts both with the biblical and the Trying to escape from her "sweetheart" typecasting, she quarrelled with Fox and was modern scientific understanding of man as a psychosomatic It is not compatible with the

MAJOR PETER BECKWITH-SMITH Major Peter Merton Beck- Park, which like Epsom was

television work.

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operation.

Day.

suspended: but she returned

and her career proceeded much

as before.

Daddy Long Legs and Merely

Mary Ann were typical of the films she had sought to avoid

but in which she was forced to bow to the popular will. State Fair, with Will Rogers, was an

effective piece of Americana

and another success was The Farmer Takes a Wife, in which

her co-star was a young actor

making his first screen appear-

ance, Henry Fonda.

The best of ber later films was undeniably A Stor is Born, directed in 1937 by William

Wellman; she played an as-piring actress who marries an established leading man (Fred-

ric March) to find that her rise

coincides with his decline. The

Young in Heart provided another good part in romantic

comedy but after one more film

she announced her retirement. She was tempted back to the

screen only once, to play Pat Boone's mother in Bernadine in

the 1950s, and did occasional

She was married three times:

to a lawyer, Lydell Peck; to MGM's chief dress designer, Gilbert Adrian, who died in

1959; and to a producer, Paul

under the control of United

Race Courses Limited. It was

during his time at Sandown that

an extensive rebuilding and

renovation scheme was put into

military family, his father having been taken prisoner in

the Second World War as a

brigadier in Singapore, where he died in captivity. The son Peter

was educated at Eton, and after

attending Sandhurst served in

the war with the Welsh Guards

in France before Dunkirk, and

again on the Continent after D-

An enthusiastic point-to-point rider and huntsman,

Beckwith-Smith left the Army

ence, tact and organizing ability

He was a Deputy Lieutenant

49), and Redland, Bristol (1949-56), before being appointed to the London College of Divinity

bendary at St Paul's Cathedral. In 1967, faced with the aboli-

where it became part of the

Beckwith-Smith came from a

with-Smith, who since the Second World War was Clerk of the Course at several British racecourses, including Epsom, Amtree, Lingfield and Sandown, died on September 13, at the age of 65.

Beckwith-Smith retired from his last post at Epsom last July, having been in charge of running the Derby there for the previous 20 years. At Aintree, where he worked from 1950 to 1956, seven Grand Nationals took place under his supervision.

The course, however, which brought him into the administrative side of horse racing was Lingfield, which property had long been owned by his family. He went there in 1947 as Clerk He went there in 1947 as Clerk in 1947 to attend to the affairs and held that position until of Lingfield. In the following 1974 when Ladbrokes bought years he acquired wide experi-

the course. In the intervening, some in his new field, times difficult years, he held He was a Desimilar posts first at Aintree, for Surrey and a Justice of the then at the now defunct course Peace, and is survived by his

at Hurst Park, then at Epsom, widow, Annabel, and a son and and finally also at Sandown a daughter.

PREBENDARY HUGH JORDAN

Prebendary Hugh Jordan, From there he moved to Penn who died on September 4 at the age of 77, was Principal of the London College of Divinity from 1956 to 1969.

Fields. Wolverhampton (1945-49), and Redland, Bristol (1949-56), before being appointed to the London College of Divinity He was born of poor farming in 1956.

with the encouragement of the village schoolmaster he went to the Royal School at Cavan, and in 1963 was made a Prefollowed by a spell of teaching in York while still only 17. He returned to Ireland to study at tion of the external BD degree Trinity College, Dublin, and at London University, he after ordination in 1932 had his planned the move of the college. first curacy at St Kevin's now St John's, to Nottingham. Church, Dublin. From 1934 to where it became part of the 1939 he was general secretary of the Dublin YMCA.

He married in 1936 Elizabeth

Within a few weeks of the Lamb, whom he had met in outbreak of the war he moved Dublin, and who survives him. to Merseyside to become vicar They had two sons and a of St. Luke's Church, St Helens. daughter.

MR IAN RODGER

Mr Ian Rodger who died on existence in a weekend house August 30 was a radio dramatist party only to find themselves and novelist who had also made a considerable contribution to television drama.

Educated at Westminster

school and Durham University he had worked as a journalist in Newcastle and Scotland before going to live in Stockholm for several years. Here he wrote a number of novels, The Sun is Dead (1959) being the best On television he had contrib-known. It dealt with the uted an episode to the series conflicts facing a group of Elizabeth R and in the BBC Swedish bourgeois who attempt series The Explorers his was the

dium. Among his better remembered works was his play about Cromwell which was performed in a stage version at the Leatherhead Theatre with Sir Donald Wolfit in the title role.

party only to find themselves involved in a macabre orgy. Rodger returned to Britain

and began writing radio drama, becoming prolific in this me-

to sink the neuroses of urban study of Amundsen.

University news

Dr Arthur Peacocke, Dean of Clare College, Cambridge, to be Director of the Ian Ramsey Centre, St Cross College, Oxford, from next Jan The following name was omitted from the list of those who gained an honours degree, second class, in jurisprudence: E.A. Coates, of St Edmund Hall and Archhishop Holgate's Grammar School, York.

Edinburgh The university has acquired a farm on Lewis in the Western Isles to establish an archaeological field centre, for long-term research into the later prehistoric and early

historic settlement. Initially, the centre will be used as a base for seasonal field survey and excavation projects. The project has been promoted by Professor D.W. Harding, professor of archaeology.

specification, implementation and evaluation of interactive systems. Brunel Grants



Salford

Dr Denver Hall has been appointed to an integrated chair, the Unilever chair in colloid and surface chemistry. He will spend part of his time at the university and the remainder at Unilever's Port Sunlight laboratory in Bebbington. Merseyside, where he is a research scientific.

York
The departments of computer science and psychology has been awarded a grant of £140,000 by the Man Machine Interface Division of the Alvey Directorate to fund research into mechanisms for the Cardiff.

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ACTION TO A

11. St. Pag. down the Monumental brasses are the guardians of the past, ready at the touch of a skilful hand to reveal a wealth of historical detail.

Mary Wilson reports on a revival of interest in them

Rubbing along with history

peace and spirituality that portray lords and knights pervades majestic cathedrals armed and as a result we have a and crumbling Norman chur- superb record of military dress ches lies a diary of the past often overlooked and stepped over by those who pass through, Whether wall mounted or

tucked away in the floor of the chancel, monumental brasses are an indelible memorial to mankind. Many churchgoers and tourists may appreciate their beauty but not fully understand their worth. For students, historians and more inquisitive types they are an invaluable record of our heritage. They do not speak to tell a tale, they are rarely signed by their engravers, but the detail that can be extracted from these tlat plates of brass reveals a wealth of information about of the times. knights and knaves, elegant ladies and swaddled babes, wealthy merchants and humble

The origins of monumental brasses can be traced back to the late thirteenth century, when they took the place of commemorative incised stone slabs and sculptured figures. The plate brass (or latten) was originally imported from Flanders where supplies of copper and zinc, the main constituents of brass, were

The oldest brass in existence is Bishop Yso Wilpe, laid in Verden, Germany in 1231. But in England, in the church of St. Mary's, Stoke D'Abernon in Surrey - a parish church extended over the years out of necessity, resulting in a blend of Saxon. Norman, fifteenth and ninteenth-century architecture lies the earliest full-size brass.

Sir John .D'Abernon (or Johan Davernovn, the actual Norman-French inscription). lies next to his son, also Sir John, on the chancel floor under a splended vaulted roof. whether it was actually made then, or in 1320. They are both in excellent condition, and the marked. The Flemish craftsmen

Visitors come in their hundreds from all over the world as far afield as India, South Africa and New Zealand - to see the church and its seven brasses. Some visitors may be students, others brass rubbers (the two Sir Johns can be rubbed, but only once a day), and some have an interest because of old family con-

From monumental brasses and social changes through the

Within the cool atmosphere of years. It was customary to from the thirteenth to mid-fifteenth centuries. Only six full size figures survive from before the Black Death (1347-51) including the two Sir Johns at Stoke D'Abernon, but from these we can see the change from full chain-mail to half-

plate armour. As brasses became cheaperwith increased production in the fifteenth century, they came into the reach of humbler folk who wished to be remembered, Royal servants in the Tudor period, the fruiterer, bedmaker or goshawk-keeper are all recorded. And no section of society is ignored, all evocative

ut there was little portraiture and each craftsman had his own repetitive style for the faces. It is possible to find "twins" in distant parts of the country, purely because one craftsman had made them both.

In the late fifteenth century it became the fashion to depict subjects in a skeletal form to represent the frailty of man. Some are drawn in a state of decomposition, crawling with worms; there is a particularly gruesome example at Oddington in Oxfordshire. A more appealing portrayal was of babies who died in their first month shown in their swad dling clothes, known as "chry-

It was not until 1566, when (zinc) were found in Somerset. that brassplate was made in this

graving styles in Flemish and was the first major figure brass English brasses is often quite for 40 years.

The Duchess of Norfolk little animals. The English style into one piece of stone.

By the sixteenth century availability of good craftsmen and fell out of fashion. But that was not the end of

we can learn about heraldry, brasses. There was a strong architecture, armour, fashion revival in Victorian times and, revival in Victorian times and, sidered such a success that Mr surprisingly enough, new blood Ironside was asked to design



rial, unveiled at Arundel Castle, Sussex, in 1979, shows the sixteenth Duke of Norfolk Old and new: England's oldest brass (left) of Sir Joh

country, although it was thinner the earlier part of this century, usually given for the brass, but Flemish product.

The difference between en- of Norfolk, unveiled in 1979, memorial to the sixteenth Duke

carlier Sir John even retains the had a horror of leaving any blue Limoge enamel on the piece of brass unengraved, so shield used to highlight heraldic gaps were filled in with private chapel and her cousin, features which is rarely seen decorative scrolls, flowers and lord Perth felt a brass would be the most suitable medium. left spaces unfilled and is They commissioned Christypified by the out lightest and topher Ironside to design the separate inscriptions, all inlaid brass, and it now lies on the North wall of the Fitzalan Chapel of Arundel Castle in workmanship started to deterio-rate. Demand overtook the fifteenth Duke, Mr Ironside has depicted him wearing his Air and engraving suffered. By the Marshall's Uniform, Coronation Cloak and collar of the seventeenth century monumen- ation Cloak and collar of the tal brasses lost their popularity Order of the Garter, a fitting remembrance which will survive for many decades.

The commission was con-

natural deposits of calamine ore and a resurgent enthusiasm are another, this time of Lord and specifically designed to emulate and unappreciative clergy have recommended, they tend to ruin fuelling another revival today.

Lady Mountbatten of Burma. Christopher's Wren's gratings in all taken their toll. For example,

Several brasses were made in This will be a magnificent other parts of the floor.

at Norwich and Durham Camemorial, approximately 4ft stainless steel (as was the Royal Mint, will be commem-Norfolk one) and set in black

> Westminster Abbey early next year. Mr Ironside decided, after long consultation with the family, to depict them both by head and shoulder profiles, with their coat of arms, and various insignia of their interests and connexions around them.

a local family in Etchingham in East Sussex, and the memorial actually made of bronze). Both were designed by sculptor John joined fretworked letters. This lies in the floor at the

centre of the cathedral, and was

The late Sir Lionel Thompson, Deputy Master of the orated in a Petersfield church graved brass designed by Douglas Lincoln

hrough brass rubbings we have a fine record of Other modern monuments medieval brasses, many of have been to the Hornblowers, which no longer exist. The largest collections can be viewed at the British Museum

to Sir Winston Churchill in St and the V & A.
Paul's Cathedral (which is Brasses often last far longer than the ancient churches that house them. But unfortunately, Skelton, and the one to out of an estimated 15,000 Churchill is in the unusual form brasses that were engraved, only about one tenth survive. The dissolution of the monasteries,

Cromwell's iconoclasm, greed

thedrals not one brass remains because they were sold to brass

It is commonly thought that rubbing is very destructive, but research in the 1970s showed that brass rubbed three times a day for a century loses no more than 0.0054cm of its surface! Feet, sweat from human hands

often the culprits. Perhaps it is a sad reflection

The Monumental Brass Society, which was formed nearly 100 years ago to look after preservation stresses that brasses should not be cleaned

the patina and the metal; a rag Rubber mats and rugs put over and bell founders for melting fact do the opposite. The acid in the rubber causes damage, and rugs collect harmful dust and

bler's wax) to do the rubbings.

But the pleasure of rubbing a

brass, crouched down on your

knees, with the church flowers

being arranged around you and

a practising organist sending resonant chords through the

rafters can never be replaced.

and regular cleaning are more

on our clergy that many do not fully appreciate the value of the brasses in their care, covering them with rugs that do damage, hiding them with pews or not taking care enough over clean-

How to become a brass master For further information contact the Monumental Brass Society,

Society of Antiquities, Burling-ton House, Piccadilly, London, W1, or the Brass Rubbing Centre, Piccadilly, London, W1 (437 5020) Many brasses are now protected but it is still possible to (437 6023). Studio 69, 34 Elm Hill, Norwich. take rubbings from originals, with the permission of the Norfolk (0503 22877), NR3 1HG has lists of brass rubbing centres around the country, and relevant incumbent. Brass rubbing centres have recently burgeoned around the country, and facsimiles are offered for will supply facsimilies, books and rubbing equipment. The definitive guide to monu-mental brasses is in three rubbing for a small charge often only half the size of the volumes by Malcolm Norris. The originals, which few people realize. One advantage of these volumes by Malcolm Norris. The first is *The Craft* (Faber £25), and the second two are both entitled *The Memorials* (Phillips and Page, £55). centres is that they supply the paper and heelball (like cob-

> What you will need: About £6 will buy an equipment kit of special paper (thin but strong to avoid tearing – the main hazard) metallic wax, masking tape and a plastic eraser.

Moulded from tradition

Medieval brass was known as 'latten", a-composite of copper and calamine ore (zinc), formed by an extremely complicated rhemical process - for those days. The zinc was ground up, mixed with charcoal and small pieces of copper. It had to be heated enough to distill out the zinc, which then permeated the pieces of copper, but not hot chough to melt the copper. When the brass was formed, the heat was increased, and it was poured into moulds, probably 3-5mm deep. It would then be hammered and polished to reduce the thickness.

would have been something along the lines of a modern day cold chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day cold chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel, a slow method to the lines of a modern day one chisel a slow method day one chisel a slow method day one chisel a slow method day of The prime engraving tool would have been something sivie. Many later examples, including brasses from this century, were mathin graved. Although the continuous c produce, these brasses are inferior in quality, lacking lines do not get rubbed out black lines. The brass is then fret-cut from the solid sheet, feeling and precision, and are denigrated by the few handengravers still around today.

It is interesting to note a letter to the Sunday Times in 1955 from a Mr Barrington Brown. He wished to make a memorial to his late brother on the cut brass. He then works the lines of a fifteenth-century brass. After much experiment line, removes the unwanted ation, he found the most brass, and finishes the work satisfactory way to incise his with varying grades of abrasive brass was with a suitably paper. pround down chisel, and on The acid etching technique looking at an old brass in most in the inneteenth-century. Cambridge, realized he had revived was the foresumer of madvertently used precisely the modern day photo-exching. The

Douglas Lincoln is one of paper, photographed and the

. . .



Chequered career: Christopher Ironside with a design for the memorial to Lord Mountbatten

five chisel engravers in England. negative reversed. A special in order to achieve maximum He initially traces his design on coating sensitive to ultra violet effect, and a small amount will to the metal, and inscribes it light is printed on to the brass be machine-engraved. with a steel point so that the with the chisel at 45 to 55 degrees, he lightly cuts the metal, only lifting the chisel at the end of the line to raise up

same method as 500 years ago. original design is drawn on

needs skilful overseeing. The acid may "bleed", blurring the

through the plate: Christopher Ironside chooses

screening everything bar the Brass figures are sometimes when chiselling Lincoln uses a dipped into an acid solution and individual letters are also small chisel and retroussé which acts only on the uncut out this way. John Skelton hammer. Working along a line covered part, and is left in the used fretworking for his Chursolution until the required chill memorial, which is made depth is reached. This process up of capital letters joined together, and cut out in one piece. "Because the brass was lines, or if the sheet of brass is going to be in the form of a grill, too thin, seep underneath the I had to use this method. It lines and eventually work right needed ingenuity, but to some extent the letters designed themselves because they had to

to use this method, because it ensures a perfect interpretation of his particular style. The Norfolk brais was totally photoetched, but the Mountbatten is a drill with a bevelled cutter, brass will have parts engraved to cut it out, finishing the work

Brasses and a man called Ironside

thinking seriously about slowing down, Christopher Ironside still has the same energy and youthful eagerness he possessed 50 years ago. He recently celebrated his

seventy-first birthday (but looks 10 years younger) and is considering taking on yet another commission for a monumental brass. His attitude all through life has been to say yes to anything. "I might never get asked again", he says.

Ironside is strictly a draughtsman and painter. Dur-

ing his chequered career he has taught at the Royal Academy of Art, designed theatre sets with his brother, Robin Ironside, and done freelance commercial

design.
"At art school", he says, "I dabbled in too many things, and became an expert in none." But in 1949 his assortment of skills came into their own when he was teaching part-time at the Royal College of Art and the college was asked to produce a medal for the British Academy.

"I was the only person who could do portraits, lettering, had an all round training and commercial experience. Some-one at art school had told me sculpture would improve my drawing. It didn't. But it proved to be an enormous help when it came to casting the coin." From there he designed coins

for several newly-independent countries - Tanzania, Brunei, Qatar and Dubai - and in 1968 entered a limited competition to design our decimal coinage. His design for the reverse of the coins won. Unfortunately for him the new Chancellor, Roy Jenkins, scrapped the competition in favour of an open one.

At an age when many people are Ironside entered, this time under a pseudonym, and to his amazement won again.

"My first commission to design a memorial brass came from being in the right place at the right time. The Norfolk family consulted the RCA who suggested me, amongst others, because of my past work for them." As before, a spread of knowledge that included medal work, portraiture, and heraldry (he had designed the Royal Coat of Arms in Whitehall for the 1953 coronation) made him an ideal choice.

"It was a marvellous challenge. I had more or less a free hand, and it was a complete change from the medals. I got the inspiration for the basis of my design from a splendid mock gothic brass. I attended a concert in the St Mary Magdalene church, Paddington, where I saw this brass to one of the past vicars, Dr Richard Temple West, and decided to produce something which amalgamated realism with a strong design.

"Using two metals - steel and brass - brought it to life, gave the work an edge and brought it into this century. I feel strongly that a man who is designing memorial must think of hundreds of years ahead, not just the present. He is designing for posterity, and the memorial must adorn the place where it

I asked him if he would be at the unveiling of the Mounthat ten brass. He explained philo-sophically, "I wouldn't mind at all if I wasn't asked. It will be the family's affair, not mine. My handwriting will be there, and that is what is important to me. My work will be my memorial."

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The hills of renaissance painting - the view over a madonna's shoulder or beyond a nobleman's profile - are alive and well tended, and beautiful in October. It is landscape on a human scale, fertile and a little formal. There is a nip in the air and sunshine on the deep purple nebbiolo grapes which are the last of the year to be picked. These will make two of Piedmont's best loved wines. barolo with its bouquet of faded roses and violets, and harbaresco.

Out in a misty dawn the smells are earthy and autumnal. of leafmould, wet grass, moss and wisps of woodsmoke. Carlo Mondo was reluctant to take me truffle-hunting. The arrangement had been struck at a boisterous dinner the night before, where I dare say I had looked an unsprightly candidate for scrambling through woods at first light.

Since my Italian does not stretch beyond ordering an espresso and the dramatic passions of grand opera, and his English was no more practical, the question arose of bow we were going to communicate. Surely the language barrier would be a blessing at that hour. I hazarded through the offices of a third party. The truffle hunter smiled for the first and last time.

Next morning, footloose in borrowed wellies, I slithered and stumbled across stubble fields and through hazel thickets

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Digging delicately: One man and his dog mearth truffles

with Carlo Mondo and his dog December, with November Laura. He carried a tall walking stick and a small tool like an ice axe. He stamped ahead, a severe figure in countryman's colours. stopping often to command the bitch in quiet staccato syllables to search the tree roots for

Just once, at the base of a huge beech. Laura became quiveringly excited and dug speedily into the roots. She was quickly intercepted by her owner who excavated more carefully so as not to damage and lower the value of the underground treasure. No truffle was found and Laura's only reward that day was the bread she demanded so eagerly after every hunting effort.

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A fine and fascinating place to dine is the Castello Di Grinzane, an austere pile in terracotta brick atop a steep, vine clad hill outside the town. It would be worth the drive just for the view but there is better to come because the castle is the operational headquarters of the dine Dei Cavalieri Dei Vini E Dei Tartufi Di Alba. The

organization devotes itself to the research, preservation and enjoyment of traditional local dishes and offers them, cooked to a high standard, in the castle's restaurant. A dark, rich dish of wild rabbit followed buttery pasta with truffles in a memorable meal that ended with a glass of the area's own fizz, Moscato d'Asti.

There is no menu at the Castello Di Grinzane. Even if you have no Italian this does not matter because to reach the lofty caim of the dining room ou must first pass through the kitchens where sniffing the air, chatting to the cooks and tasting are proper signs of interest and appreciation.

Throughout the week-long truffle fair there are nightly public dinners in a marquee in the centre of town. Local wines and recipes figure large, and although Alba's truffles and fair grade specimens, truffles are world renowned, it is command respect. In res-

essentially a local festival. Visitors are warmly welcomed. but there seems no danger of their numbers overwhelming this robust celebration of civic pride and prosperity. The flavour of the festival is

that of our county shows handmade tagliatelli, plain without the sheep. Industry and omelettes and the local cheese commerce display themselves fondue are the cognoscenti's to the admiring populace with candidates for truffling. Any the same inexplicable pieces of machinery and static displays of the number of grams consumed active processes. Ferrero of Tic

cherry chocolates fame take the stand with greatest appeal to the schoolchildren who swarm through the fair by the coach-

The Ferreros' sweets are international now. The local ones are based on hazelnuts and place to admire their variety, to buy and to taste them is the Cafe Pettiti. a glittering cave of Edwardian glass and brass in Alba's main shopping street the Via Vittorio

The town's famous sons are the painter Macrino d'Alba (fl: 1495-1520; the town hall has one of his pictures), and the Roman emperor Alvio Pertina (126 AD to 193). There is the San Lorenzo cathedral, a small museum and a fair selection of churches. But there is not too much to keep anyone indoors on a sunny day when the streets of Alba bustle and the country all around is looking its autumnai hest.

I flew Alitalia from London to Turin. Apex £185 return. First class £314 return.

Godfrey Davis Europcar has a reduced "superdrive" rate for hire cars in Italy pre-booked from the UK. A group A car with unlimited mileage collected in Turin costs £25 for the minimum two-day

package.
The Hotel Savona in the piazza of the same name in Alba is central, clean and well lit. A double room with bath and without breakfast costs £20 a night. (Tel 0173 23 81.) Good restaurants abound. Lunch Grinzane (Tel 0173 621 59) costs about 225 a head with wine, while an official truffle fair public dinner tickets at the door, costs about £10

with wine. This year the truffle fair runs from October 7 to 14. The Italian Tourist Office is at 1



Seasonal store: Truffles are on sale in Alba's shops from September until December

Richard Wilson on paradise in the Maldives

Sam, jam and snorkels

Sammy Davis Junior proudly placed a dish in front of us: t contained roast potatoes, macaroni and Russian salad. The logic of it delighted us: after all, the guests were mostly English and Italian and there was one couple muttering in some East European language. so there was something for everybody.

usually the most prolific month,

truffles are offered for sale in

Alba's shops and in restaurants

in the town and surrounding

area. The ironmonger sells an

inexpensive implement for shaving wafers of raw truffle on

At £12.50 an ounce for first

taurants accurate scales are

brought to the table. The diner

chooses a truffle by the strength

and individual appeal of its perfume and the waiter weighs

it. Then a small amount is

shaved over the chosen dish -

remaining truffle is weighed and

to dishes of hot or cold food.

For starters there was jam paincake (sic on the menu). We thought it might turn out to be ham - one good printing error deserves another - but no, it was jam. Plum jam. Not unpleasant, mind you. Just odd, as was much of the diet. But the fish was superb: we could have eaten it every day, twice a day, mouth-wateringly curried à la the tough T-bones and the London: 01-439 7262; Manchester: 061-832 8611; Glasgow: 041-248 412L

greasy corned-beef fritters. We called our waiter Sammy Davis Junior because he looked like and walked like and had all the charm of that great entertainer. We could not take our eyes off him, and he could not take his eyes off us. He had been a fisherman until a few days before, and he was fascinated by his new profession. It was not his fault that at first there was not enough cutlery to go round so we had to wait until the earlier diners had finished and some washing-up had been

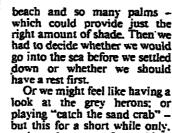
We didn't mind: paradise can be paradise with or without a Michelin rosette, and we were just happy to have arrived. It is not every day of your life that you undertake an airport-tohotel transfer of four hours in an open boat across the ocean. Male - capital of the Maldives, one hour by air from Colombo - there was some doubt as to whether a boat was available, but one was found and the skipper started the engine and took the helm while the mate busied himself with a

bucket Once we had established that he could bale the sea out as fast as it leaked in we were able to relax. There was an awning to protect us from the scorching sun, and we had acquired a picnic in Colombo to stave off hunger and thirst. We sported flying-fish, and something long and leapy which someone said was barracuda, and the skipper

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as the crabs run too fast and it is rather energetic. The hermit crabs are more amenable: they are nature's squatters, making mobile homes out of sea-shells of every sort, and many of them take on something far too large, so it was easy to collect a few and organize races. All this was extremely thirstprovoking, so from time to time

had to undertake the wander to the bar to collect cans of icecold lager. The Maldives are officially "dry": you cannot buy alcohol at the airport, and they do not allow you to take a bottle in with you. But there is dispensation for the tourist resorts, and the well-stocked bar at Fina Lhohi was open as long as a customer was in sight. We expected the prices to be outrageous, but, all things considered, they were not.

None of these demands on our time was allowed to deprive us of our snorkelling. Oh; the snorkelling! We ignored the sailing and the windsurfing and the scuba-driving and the excursions to other islands. We were just hooked on the snorkelling. The shallow coral shelf extends a hundred yards or so from the beach and it is ideal for the beginner. You can stand on the sandy patches between the outcrops of sharp coral, stick your face in the water and marvel at all the teams of fish in their striped jerseys coming 'to investigate

As you gain confidence, you can float out the edge of the reef. It is quite a shock. The white sand and bright coral suddenly vanish, and you are suspended above a cliff which plunges vertically into blackness. Resist the urge to panic! You are just as buoyant as you were in the shallows. As for the sharks, they are supposed to stay in the deep-sea channels to the north, and I trust they have all been told. The real danger is the sun: many a hypnotized snorkeller has spent most of his holiday on a bed of feverish pain because he underestimated

Our journey home took us 40 hours: without delays it would have been a few hours less. It is a long way to go, but you go to paradise. We did not want to leave-not at all. And Sammy Davis Junior did not want us to go: he stood on the jetty to wave us out of sight

The long hauf to the Maldives makes sense if you combine a week or two there with, say, a tour of Sri Lanka. We went with Kuoni, whose price for the combination holiday was excellent value. None of the operators currently featuring the Maldives seem to be offering Fina Lhohi, but life on the other ands should be much the same. Kuoni Travel, Kuoni House Dorking, Surrey (0308 885044) offers a 14-day, two-centre holiday - one week touring Sri Lanka and mother on Baros Island in the Maldives - for £899 until Oct 23. then £953 until Dec 9. Other operators running similar holidays include Sover

Stewart Tendler on a fishing course in Devon

Hook, line and thinkers

Fly fishing is one of those skills sportsmen often seem to "pick up" rather than learn assiduously. Perhaps the solitary, 🗱 amateur nature of the sport mitigates against instruction or perhaps fishing appears disarmingly simple.

Whatever the reason, there are probably thousands of game anglers who gathered the rudiments of their sport trailing along for a day in the wake of a tolerant friend of relative. They see a fish taken, try their hand at a cast and the rest is a history of trial and error or self-tuition, Returning home the initiate buys himself a rod and practises in the garden or park with one of the many guides on sale. Eventually he deems himself

Those who take up skiing, riding, shooting, golf or sailing almost always begin with professional instruction or use it as a means of polishing their techniques. The cost of the equipment and the opportunities to practise such sports demand that for economic reasons, if not personal satisfaction, the beginner should always get a good grounding.

The same should be true of fishing. After all, good tackle is not cheap. Nor for that matter is decent fishing. And like all sports, there is a wealth of technique and lore to confuse the tiro.

In fact there are wide opportunities for a beginner to learn the sport. Several publicly owned reservoirs, for example, arrange training sessions at the beginning of each season. The angling press includes advertisements placed by professional anglers offering instruction. A number of fishing hotels

include the services of a ghillie or water bailiff who can not only show guests where to find the best fishing but also provide some simple lessons as well. But much of such instruction is piecemeal. A few hours' tuition on fishing a stillwater will not equip anyone for river fishing. Learning to cast does not automatically mean the angler will catch fish. And ghillies can be busy men at the height of a SCASOR.

The West of England Centre of Game Angling at Torrington in north Devon attempts to meet such deficiencies by giving pupils a concentrated residen-tial course on both how to get the line out and how to bring it back, with something fishy

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The centre, based in a large country house overlooking the Torridge, offers seven or fiveday courses at a cost of £40 a day, which covers comfortable accommodation, all food, instruction, equipment, fishing permits and licences. It also offers short courses for nonresidents in areas such as casting. Both John Gawesworth, the principal, and his son Simon are qualified instructors and the latter holds international and British casting titles. Between them they have constructed curricula aimed at

turning out anglers of above average standard Their approach is straightforward, logical and down to carth, and free of the cloving air of mystique which sometimes pervades fly fishing in this country. An experienced angler is likely to discover interesting and provoking new theories and ideas, while a novice would gain good basic skills and leave a capable caster.

However, anyone looking for nothing more than a simple fishing holiday would be advised to look elsewhere. The centre's courses are split classroom lectures, between casting practice and fishing. The teaching day starts at 10am, stops for dinner at about 7pm

and resumes for an hour or so of lectures in the evening. The seven-day courses range

from one offering an overall introduction to game fishing, covering salmon, sea and river trout to more specialized combinations of, for example, sea and river trouting or stillwater and river trout fish-

The five-day courses concentrate on one particular aspect, such as salmon fly fishing or sea trout fishing. On a typical fiveday course the first two days are divided between lectures on the theory of casting and tackle and casting practice on a section of the Torridge. The casting is recorded on wideo and played back in the evening with a commentary. The system is an excellent way of spotting faults and trying to correct them.

Beginners on the course are given the chance to experience the reality of hooking and landing fish at a put-and-take sullwater where catches are pretty well guaranteed. They can then move on to river fishing in the remaining days of the course if they are learning about sea trout, river trout or salmon. Fishing is on the Torridge or on the Yeo near Barnstaple for small-stream

The approach is friendly and flexible. Tactics are presented in as uncomplicated a fashion as possible and the centre provides bibliographies for those who want to learn more. My course coincided with a period when sea trout were on the move and we went out one night on an enjoyable, if abortive, expedition.

There is a considerable amount to learn since the courses combine a large numberof casts with theoretical work which could prove confusing without the patient tuition.

Perhaps it needs to be when ingrained mistakes born of long experience but little tuition. I suspect many leave better anglers than when they came. I have to admit that on the course I finally mastered a difficult cast which has eluded me since I started fishing.

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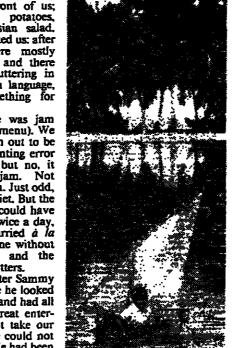


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told us the names of the islands we passed, some close by, some on the horizon: Vadhoo and Maniya Fushi, Biyaadho and Viligilivaru, and then Rannalhi and our own Fina Lhohi.

We enjoyed the ride - which was more than could be said for the ashen-faced party which arrived a few days later. Their flight had been delayed, so they were brought across in the dark. To compound their terror, the sea had turned choppy and they could see was the phosphorescence of the water as it foamed on reefs all around them. How the navigation was achieved, nobody understood and the boatmen could not explain: they just "knew the way" and it was quite normal.

They ferried people and provisions daily from Male and the boat's arrival at the jetty became a highlight of the ogramme. On Tuesday came Flabby Fred and Skinny Steve from Maidenhead in matching tropical outfits; and with them came the cutlery.

The Maldives, at the latest count, are 1,200 specks of coral strung out across 500 miles of the Indian Ocean. Some 200 are inhabited, and only a few have tourist accommodation. Fina Lhohi is by no means the smallest speck: it takes nearly

15 minutes to stroll right round it on the brilliant-white, powdery beach. A pair of majestic grey heron live at one end of the island. Or they did. Every time someone approached they would take off for a rock a hundred yards out to sea. So perhaps they have emigrated by now.

Just back from the beach on

one side of the island, in the shade of the palms, are the bungalows. They are simple and comfortable with all mod cons: you do not need hot water, and the cold - marvellously soft comes from deep wells and smells strongly of sulphur, which must be very healthy. Every evening the room-boy fills the drinking-water jugs and lights a spiral of incense to ensure that no mosquito disturbs your sleep. And in the morning you wake to the cooing

and piping of palmswifts. It was all quite hectic. Each morning after breakfast we selected our spot on the beach no easy task with so much

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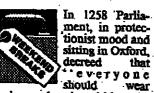
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Christopher Koenig finds some forlorn reminders of past wealth in the Windrush valley

Wool and woe in the Cotswolds



sitting in Oxford, that `ечетуопе

produced within the realm". Now cars, not wool, form Oxfordshire's main inclustry, but in the west of the county, signs of former wool wealth are everywhere apparent.

Outside Chipping Norton the now redundant Bliss Mill appears like a country mansion that has somehow sprouted a factory chimney from an ornate central dome. It was built in Central donic. It was built in 1872, but the roots of the Cotswolds' long woolly history may be reached by taking Sheep Street into Burford, passing – or perhaps not – the Lamb on the way, and then following Witney Street along the Windrush

Inside the church at Swinbrook six generations of one wool family, the Fettiplaces, are arranged in marble effigy, as if in conchettes on a French train, while outside in the churchyard the box-like wool-graves of other merchants have carved tops specially constructed to contain ritualistic fleeces. (Also there, by the way, is the grave of Unity Mitford: Lord Redesdale and his famous family lived up the road.)

Was it pride or humility that urged such medieval businessmen to spend prodigiously on churches? Or simple gratitude for their own good fortune? Possibly a subtle mixture of all three. It is surprising to reflect that these Catholics were members of no island race; their trade was governed by the Staple in Calais, part of England

There is something comforting about finding an electric bar-heater burning away on an ancient Roman mosaic, a spectacle that sometimes greets visitors to Widford Church. which was built in Saxon times (but rebuilt in the thirteenth century) on the site of a Roman villa. It now stands forlorn in a field half a mile down a footpath from Swinbrook, the surrounding village having fallen victim to plague, sheep enclosures and the Industrial

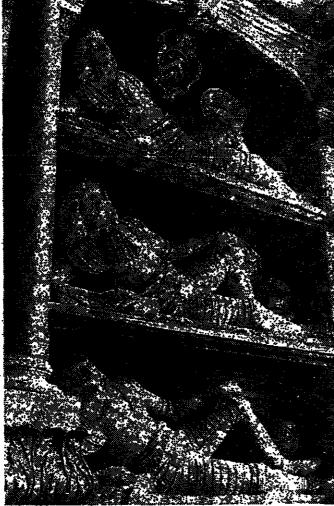
Revolution Cotswold weather chilled Romans, of course, and such was the demand for the birrus Britannicus. a sort of booded. woollen overcoat, that Diocle-



I toured the Windrush valley with my 10-year-old daughter, largely guided by The Woolpack, a rare children's book - informative and entertaining - by Cynthia Harnett. We snacked at the Lamb in Burford (in a flagstoned room off the bar) opposite the gabled house in which the book's woolman hero supposedly lived. A good simple room may be had there from £15.50 for two, including breakfast. The more demanding, however, the date the Par Tree up the should try the Bay Tree, up the street, or the newly renovated Feathers Hotel (room from £38 for two) in Woodstock where, incidentally, interesting wool implements are displayed in the

Early Mill In Witney (0993 3131) is open by appointment only.

Minster Lovell Hall (0993 75315) is run by the Historic Buildings and Monuments Commission. It is open Mon-Sat 9.30am-6.30pm, Sun 2-6.30pm (from Oct 15, Mon-Sat 9.30am-4pm, Sun 2-4pm). Admission: Adults 40p.



The Fettiplace family tombs in Swinbrook church

together with his secret.

The Lovells bought

manor from the French Abbey

of Ivry, and in the early Middle Ages much of the valley belonged to Norman monks,

who presumably needed woo

for their habits. The French

connection is particularly evi-

dent at Cogges where, in addition to a fascinating farm

museum, housed in a rare

thirteenth-century farmhouse,

there is a transplanted French

Gothic church complete with an

octagonal tower like that of its

By 1828, however, when William Cobbett went riding round the wolds, the land had

long been in lay hands. Cobbett

hated the Witney blanketeers,

whose machines, he said, were

laving waste whole villages by

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tian had to peg its price in friend, who then died suddenly AD301. The medieval par-, ishioners of widford must also have been chilled by their church's frescoes, which were luckily only half washed off by some inefficient workman after the spiritual break with Rome: the Three Kings Living meet the Three Kings Dead, who rudely point their bony fingers and remark: "As you are now, so once were we. As we are now, so will you be."

There are more skeletons, literally in a cupboard this time, farther down the Windrush in Minster Lovell, where, in 1747, those of a man and a dog were found in the now ruined Hall. The discovery lent substance to a local legend that the lost Lord Lovell, a supporter of Richard III against Henry VII at Bosworth, had taken refuse in a closet known only to one trusty rendering redundant tuckers,

on the hills now, although some enterprizing wool enthusiasts in the village of Filkins breed the traditional strain, and make traditional things in the traditional way. Wool remained Britain's

their Cotswold cousins.

greatest export until 1830. Yet only one working mill, several empty ones, a few ornate wrought-iron shop fronts and a certain rural-Palladian style of architecture, ironically apparent in the Unemployment Office and the Italianate loggias of the former workhouse, bear testimony to Witney's past, vast

felimongers, not to mention

spinsters who spun the yarn.

But Richard Early, descendant of Thomas Early, who founded

the first Witney Blanket Factory

in 1669, tells visitors to the

present Early Mill that had the

business not mechanized itself

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Certainly there are few sheep

There is nothing to remind the casual passer-by that num-ber 32 Bridge Street, a four-teenth-century gabled house covered in stucco, was once Staple Hall Inn, where woolmen settled accounts on quarter days with much feasting or that the fine, empty, building in the High Street inscribed "Robert Collier, Master 1721" is none other than Blanket Hall, where the Worshipful Company of Witney Weavers once held court beneath a portrait of Queen Anne by Lely.

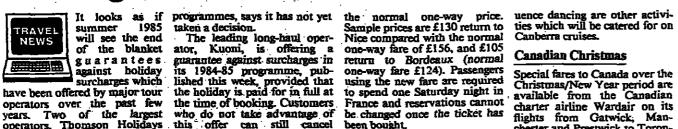
However, a almshouses overlooking the churchyard containing the said Collier's sadly vandalized woolgrave, still proclaims that they were erected "for six poore blanket makers" widows"; and graffitu in the seventeenth-cen-tury Butter Cross, built by Armiger de Cogges, who was a sort of wool-tax inspector, tells the world in general exactly which young Witnoid is presently in love, and with whom.

I pondered the transitoriness of everything in the saloon bar the Fleece before driving south along the old export-wool trail to Southampton. At Radcot there is a narrow, Gothic, thirteenth-century pack-horse bridge over the Thames, which is now a hazard to motorists. And vice versa: "Cars!" said an elderly stonemason. "Move too fast. Never go in 'em myself."



In a country churchyard: Almshouses "for blanket makers' widows" in Witney

Tour giants threaten summer surcharges



have been offered by major tour operators over the past few years. Two of the largest operators, Thomson Holidays and Horizon, have withdrawn no-surcharge guarantees in their 1985 programmes which went holiday price. on sale this week and they now reserve the right to impose surcharges of up to 10 per cent on the package price if the cost of aviation fuel increases, or if exchange rates in destination countries harden against.

Both Thomson and Horizon have maintained no-surcharge guarantees for their 1984-85 winter programmes but with the continuing slide of the pound against the dollar, which is used for all aviation fuel purchases, they argue that it would be foolhardy to continue the guarantees for next summer. Thomson says that this year it has had to absorb £3m in extra costs which it has been unable to pass on to its clients.

A surcharge would probably be incurred even on a summer 1985 holiday booked now Albureira, in Portugal's Algarve because the pound had declined region, following an outbreak of by five per cent against the dollar since July 2, the base date used by all major tour operators to calculate their costings.

But Thomson says it would have to reconsider its position if another major operator came up with a no-surcharge guarantee. The second largest operator, lutasun, has already said that it will not be offering a blanket guarantee for next summer, British Airways Holidays,

who do not take advantage of this offer can still cancel without penalty if surcharges exceed 12 per cent of the

Autumn offers

Sally Line, which operates ferry services between Ramsgate and £88 return from London to Dunkirk, has cut fares for the Geneva or Basle, £92 London-Dunkirk, has cut fares for the coming autumn and winter season, starting on October 1.

Among its new offers is a day return fare of £30 for four adults

Turich and £108 Manchester-Zurich. Seats will be available at the new fare on selected flights every day, but bookings must be readed at the season of £30 for four adults. plus car which is aimed at made at least 14 days in Britons planning pre-Christmas advance. shopping expeditions in France. Other reduced fares include £67 return for five passengers plus car for a 60-hour trip between October 1 and January 6, reducing to £63 from January 7

Warm water warnings The Department of Health has free from tourist information issued a warning about contaminated water supplies at region, following an outbreak of gastroenteritis. The department says there is no reason for anyone to cancel holidays in the area but it has advised that tap water should not be used unless it has been boiled and that only bottled water should be drunk.

Holidaymakers are also advised not to take ice in drinks Free return from France

Air France and British Airways are offering new low return fares which operates the Enterprise, to a number of destinations in hosted by five as-yet-unnamed Sovereign and Martin Rooks France this winter at less than players. Golf, bridge and seq-

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Decision time: Choosing evergreens at a garden centre

Beware the containerized plant These days, good quality plant material is available almost anywhere in the country, outlets regard to its site. Soil conditions

baving multiplied with increased demand. Nurseries used to be the most common source of plants, but with the rise of garden centres they now take second place. Perhaps surprisingly. Woolworth is the biggest single supplier of plants in this country, and good quality plants they generally are. The way the plants are

displayed is a good guide to their quality: if the plant looks good it is likely to be good. A tidy, well-stocked garden centre is a good sign: plants which have been looked after well will withstand the shock of planting out. Probably the most important thing about buying plants is to have a good idea of what you want beforehand, though plants bought on impulse are often the most successful. As the year progresses the wise gardener makes notes so that decisions on what to buy emerge gradually over a season, and the visit to the garden centre is the culmination of the year's work.

are a crucial consideration: if a plant cannot adapt to them it will be a complete waste of money and effort.

Few plants make up after a bad start, so good quality is essential. Very cheap plants should be looked at closely, and you must have a clear idea of what you want them for. The other crucial point is to find out in advance what the plant you want to buy should look like, so that you can see whether a particular example is typical of the genus. This is the time to be planting

evergreens and they are now on sale in shops and garden centres. Make sure they have fresh green foliage - any which look at all wrinkled or dry are best left on the shelf. Leaves should grow right to the tip of the shoots. Plants which exhibit shoots growing out of character - with one strong shoot and a number of smaller weakly ones round it, for example - should be carefully examined. With the public demanding to be able to plant at almost any time of the year there are always plants on the shelves. They can be bought

the dormant period, from about November until late March. This is a good way to buy plants though, while planting outside the optimum period is possible, the results may not be good. Root-balled plants have been lifted during the dormant season and the roots wrapped in

sacking or similiar material and placed in peat. Again these plants are best handled during the dormant season. The third group, plants in a container, needs closer investigation. I prefer the term "container grown" to "contain-

erized". A container-grown plant has been put into the continer when young and has erown for at least part of a season in it, so that the roots have taken over the compost. A containerized plant may have been lifted at the wrong time of

As a rule the majority of good nurseries or garden centres sell in three different ways: bare container-grown plants. A sure rooted, root-balled, or in a sign of a containerized plant is container. Bare-rooted plants one which is loose, its roots in should only be handled during compost but not growing. The size of the container should also be suitable for the plant's size. Deciduous plants are much the same as evergreens except that they very rarely have leaves to indicate their quality. If you have a good idea of the plant's growth habit you will know how much growth to expect from a young healthy cutting. The shoots will tell you if the plant is healthy. Both shoot and buds should be plump and turgid and the bark on the shoot, and indeed anywhere on the plant should be smooth and round and not wrinkled. Shoots should be soft and supple right to the tips. Also check for disease: the clearest symptom is wrinkled shoots, which means that the

> damage has already been Ashley Stephenson

plants have been neglected and

Quorn, near Loughborough, Leicestershire (0509 412870).

Useful books on butterfiles include: Gardening for Butterfiles by A. Hoare (BBCS, London Branch, available from A. Hoare, 35

Minimum donation 15p and an SAE); A Complete Guide to British

Butterflies by M. Brooks and C. Knight (Cape, £10.95); the Mitchell Beazley Pocket Guide to Butterflies by P. Whalley (Mitchell Beazley,

A good range of butterfly books.

walkharts, postcards and, "pop-up" greeting cards are available at the British Museum (Natural

ell Road, London SW7 (01-



type of onion in mid-August in the northern parts of the country and in early September in southern counties. However, this is not a usual year, with the higher summer temperatures and lower rainfall than expected. As a result sowing dates have gone a little awry, and now is the time to sow orions in the north as well as in the south. Orions like full sun and good drainage is probably more mportant for these over-wintering types then for spring-sown onlone Prepare the ground well, if the soil is on the acid side you may have to ime the site first. A fine tilth is important: fork the soil over and then break it down with a rake until It is very fine. Remember that onions can be grown in the same bed year after year as long as they are not diseased. The ground should be in good shape. Although onions should never be grown in freshly manured ground, you can dig in farmyard manure from the previous crop. Well-rolted rather than fresh manure is the enswer. Authorized to the disease.

Authorized to the disease of the disea that the plants will tolerate the rigours of winter. Over-rich ground produces soft growth which usually means the plants are not able to withstand wet, Irosty weather.



All ton milk

Danver's Yellow Onion

Sow the seed in rows 12in apert, about 1/2 in deep. Because of the likelihood of losses over the winter, sow more thickly than you would m spring. Instead of scattering seed thinly down the rows it is possible to place seeds at intervals roughly lin apart, which saves seeds and lessens the need for too much thinning out later. Before sowing, make sure the sod is well charged with moisture, and do not let it dry out after sowing. Seed will germinate in about a week, perhaps a little longer. All onions like a well-firmed soil, so il

necessary firm in the rows after

may be 4in long and about hall as

Valued velvets

A small tree which is quite rare in many parts of the country is Eucola, often spelt Evodia. The Eucola valutina has no The EUCOLA VENUME HIS TO COMMON NAMES IT IS A DECIDIOUS tree which does not often reach a great height although it is sometimes seen with a wide branching head, it will grow to 40ft and because of its habit, it needs head room to show its true shape. The young shoots are clothed with a velvety down as its name suggests. In a mature tree the down is difficult to see but if planted young the shoots are visible and the down apparent. ts leaves are one of its most attractive features; they are quite long, reaching up to 10in, pinnate and can have between 7 and 11 leaflets from the main stells; the leaflets, which are narrow and come to a sharp point at the tip.

wide. Flowers are out now. They appear from the ends of the new shoots in the leaf axils, as a rule which are high up the tree; ventor are right up that free; consequently the flowers are not plainly visible. The umbels of white to cream flowers can be up to 7 in across and almost as deep and in a good year they are found on aimost every leaf soil high in the tree. Eucoia Daniellii is sometimes grown, but it is E hupehensis which worth growing but the most attractive of the trees is the velutina which is fairly hardy. It may not be fully so in the north east but if not too exposed it will survive. Plants are not easy to obtain and as they are in short supply the price varies greatly: Hillers of Winchester list *Evelutina* and *E* hupehansis, with prices likely to be in excess of £20 each.

emprove the soil. Farmyard manure

is best but peet, compost or even bark would be better than no

humus. Organic manures, if they are to be added would have to be

applied little and often. Make sure

the plant is not rootbound and is

High-minded

Climbing plants are always valuable: they add an extra dimension to the garden by taking the eye up and are useful for covering unsightly walls as well as being ornamental. Trachelospermum is an evergreen twining plant, which means it needs a tramework, it will not stick to a

wall in the same way as tvy or hydranges will and has to have a trellis or wires to the height you require. A mature plant will reach 10-12ft but it takes time to get hed. It is tender and needs to be carefully sited. A south or a south-west wall is the ideal and it should not be shaded by trees or other objects. It is even more important that its roots are in free-draining spil. Moisture poses the greatest threat to it; neither will it

tolerate severe frosts.

Prepare the site well. Dig two spits

ep and add organic matter to

still showing signs of growth; plants which have stopped growing and whose wood has hardened will and whose wood has narcened when remain much as they are. It is a difficult plant to grow and the best approach may be to keep it in a large pot until a suitable site has Foliage is attractive if a little sparse. It is somewhat waxy looking on long sterns twining upwards. Flowers are creamy white and beautifully scented. The plant is coming into flower now and will produce flowers until mid to later August. Trachelospermum jasminoides variegatum has leaves hich are marked and biotched with creamy colorations. Plants will cost about £10 each.

especially piltocks, are in abundance, almost climbing the

line. Fair Isle cannot harbour

the large trawlers which would make fishing commercial here.

Noosts can still be seen in the South Harbour - stone-lined

grooves where rowing boats

were hauled up for safekeeping. When the island museum, named after George Waterston, opens in the Auld Schule next

spring, stories will be retold. We

heard about wrecks - from El

Gran Griffon, one of the Spanish Armada, in 1588 to the

Maverick, which sank in 1980

overladen with fish. We saw the

north and south lighthouses, we

visited crofters and we learnt

about the famous Fair Isle

knitting from the Fair Isle

Crafts Cooperative who took our orders for the winter.

Fair Isla is one of seven island observatories. Others are on the Isla of May, off Fifaness (with accommodation in a converted lighthouse), on the Calf of Man (off the Isla of Man), on Bardsey, North Wales, and Cape Clear, off the South-west coast of Ireland. All official field stations, which are members of the First.

members of the Birds Observatories Council, allow

visitors to share their holidays with resident omithologists. Some

costing about 22 a night. The one

on Fair Isle, with full board, is from £11 per night, or £60 a week. It closes from Nov to Feb. A few stay

Observatories Network, is free (sae appreciated) from the British Trust

Loganat fly to Fair Isle for about 233 return. For more details of both contact the Shetland Tourist Information Centre, Lerwick, Shetland ZE1 OLU (0595 3434).

for Omithology, Beech Grove. Tring, Hertfordshire HP23 5NR (044282 3461). The boat from Grutness is free.

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open all year. A complete list, The Bird

Ann Hills

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When it pays to grow nettles and thistles

To save the silver studded blue from extinction a team of volunteers two weeks ago moved 4,000 square yards of heathland from Ipswich to Aldeburgh, 15 miles away. The ordinary gardener need not go to such lengths, however, to attract the ordinary butterfly . . .

Everybody loves butterflies. No garden is complete without them. It seems odd, therefore, that so few gardeners make any effort to attract them, With the populations of more than half of our 60 native species in decline, perhaps we should read seed catalogues and the like with butterflies in mind, and start planning next year's butterfly garden now.

Not much is known about why various species of butterfly favour one place over another. where they go when they are not there, or what happens to them in the meantime. We know what they like: nectar, scent and certain colours (in native plant species wherever possible). They dislike chemicals, conifers and an excess of order.

Butterflies are capricious creatures and there is no guarantee that they will turn up just because you have created an ideal habitat for them. But you stand a better chance if you find out beforehand what species are already common in your area and plan accordingly. The basic strategy is simplicity itself: an appropriate food plant position on which the female

can lay her eggs, succeeded by flowering plants on which the adults can feed.

Cottage gardens, hedgerows and coppiced woodlands are the habitats that butterflies like best, but they are rapidly vanishing. Modern gardens tend to be far too tidy, with 100 many cultivars that have had all the goodness bred out of them

To begin with, designate part of the garden, perhaps on the periohery, as "wilderness". periphery, as "wilderness". There let nettles, brambles, thistles, ragwort and long grasses thrive. At the same time try to cultivate or encourage a patch of wild flowers: primrose, dandelion, campion, clover, lucerne, teasei, moon-daisy, hemp agrimony, thyme, marjoram, scabious,

knapweed, to name but a few. Stinging nettles in full sunlight are the foodplant for small tortoiseshell, peacock, red admiral and comma caterpillars. Cut them back to a few inches off the ground at the end of June, when the first brood of caterpillars has usually departed; the second growth could eggs. Long grasses and brambles

Buddleia is well known as in the spring. Holly, and ivy with berries in "the butterfly bush"; but stick to the old-fashioned mauve or white, eschewing the more modern, deeper-coloured cultivars. Plant more than one bush, and cut one back in April so that it will flower later and so

extend the buddleia "season". Early-flowering plants are useful for attracting species that hibernate, such as the small tortoiseshell and peacock, because they must eat before they can start breeding. Wallflowers, Siberian wallflowers (Cheirianthus Allionii), yellow alyssum, aubretia, arabis and honesty might attract the brimstone and

should be cut back in late comma as well. In milder areas autumn-sown stocks will flower

> a sunny location are attractive to the holly blue. Garlic mustard, lady's smock, honesty might attract the orange tip. It is possible to work out a seasonal calendar so that some-

thing to tickle the fancy of a butterfly will be in flower most of the time. In spring there is thrift, honesty, sweet rocket and valerian; in summer, bugle, sweet william, lavender, catmint, phlox; hyssop and bud-dleia; autumn has heliotrope, golden rod. aster, Michaelmas Sudbury, Suffolk. daisy and iceplant (but avoid cultivars such as Autumn Joy).

You need not abandon your. The British Butterfly Conservation Id favourites, many of which Society (BBCS), is at Tudor House. old favourites, many of which are perfectly acceptable to butterflies: lilac, petunia, primrose, pinks, forget-me-not.
Any of the flowers attractive

to butterflies should be planted

Under the Wildlife and Countryside Act it is illegal to uproot any wild plant in most circumstances. A number of merchants can supply seed, among them John Chambers of 15 Westleigh Road, Barton Segrave, Kettering, Northamptonshire, and Suffolk Herbs, Sawyers Farm, Little Cornard,

Tony Samstag



Having dealt with the oyster, we turn this week to another clement of Britain's natural food heritage currently in season venison - and track it down in the New Forest

for a meal

deep in the

Forest?

The regular appearance of those "leaping stag" road-signs on routes into the New Forest give eloquent testimony to the riches within the thickets and woods of this part of Hampshire. Although much of the land is rigorously controlled by the Forestry Commission, and Forestry Commission, and much of the game is nurtured by Crown keepers and wardens,

a genuine sense of English wildlife is generated.

Venison evokes a variety of cmotions. On the one hand, it has an aura of royal hunting and rich living; on the other, it can arouse vegetarian sympathies within the most fervent carnivore. I certainly prayed I wouldn't see any deer on the journey into the Forest....

For those able to reconcile

these contrasting emotions, the New Forest is ideal "hunting" ground - game pie and venison sausages generally turn up in even the humblest of pubs. For a more stylish approach to this royal meat, try The Burley Manor Hotel in the heart of the forest. Set in 54 acres of parkland overlooking the picturesque village of Burley, the manor is an elegant mid-nine-teenth century building. The hotel (AA 3 star) has an

attractive, panelled diningroom whose L-shaped design allows pleasant views of the wooded grounds. Comfortable, upholstered chairs and discreet lighting are rather undermined by intrusive "muzak" of the "Guantanamera" era, and some of the service is a little overfamiliar, in the style of a country hospital rather than a

Nevertheless, dining there can be an enjoyable experience, not least because the hotel's menu is a fixed-price affair at £8.95, offering three courses and coffee with mints. For the price the casserole range of dishes is better than have price supplements.

shape of an escalope forestiere, which arrives in a dark, rich red wine sauce; flecked with mushrooms and onions. With venison though, saucing is almost a secondary consideration: if the meat hasn't been hung for long enough, or larded or marinated, or if it has been taken from an aged animal, then your jaws will soon tell you the worst.

Considering these variables, the venison at Burley Manor was of a more than reasonable quality although "escalope", suggesting a slim slice, was not the term. I'd apply. Hunk,

Dishes around the venisor include an attractive savoury starter of mushrooms Lyndhurst (wrapped in bacon, and cooked with cider and cheese) and an unlikely but nevertheless successful combination of plaice stuffed with mango chutney and banana in a light curry sauce. Medallions of pork, scampi in Pernod and assorted grills of fish or steak dominate the rest of the menu.

Buriey Manor has a cosmopolitan range of wines from 14 different countries, including the almost honey-flavoured English table wine Chickering Hali '82 (Muller Thurgau, £5.45). For less formal dining, there's a pub-style grill in an annexe, "Charcoal's", which, incidentally, serves a venison

A few miles from Burley, most, although one or two near Brockenhurst, and set back (chateaubriand, for example) do from the road in what looks like an equestrian centre, The New The venison on offer at Park Manor Hotel would seem Burley Manor comes in the to have the ideal credentials for

was once a Charles II hunting lodge. Stags' heads still gaze down on lounge and lobby, but a large part of the hotel (AA2 star) seems rather rundown and

The dining-room in particu-lar is a riot of "blue jungle" wall-paper, turquoise-up-holstered chairs and garish tiles which, together with the languid music and sugar-shakers, give it the air of a 1950's sea-side hotel, with a menu to match - rollmop herrings, Dover soles, black berry pie and custard.

Nevertheless, New Park Manor's contribution to the venison repertoire – the King Rufus Steak (£8) – is a considerable (£8) – is a considerable achievement. table, it features a prime, well-hung steak, marinated in red wine, with mushrooms, cream and armagnac, and is delicious. With home-grown vegetables (they also have their own pigs for pork chips and bacon) it's a dish to make you forget the rather less-than-royal surroundngs. A decent number of half bottles will aid the process but beware of having too much. The drive back through the forest at night is cerie enough.

Stan Hey

Burley Manor HotelBurley, Hampshire (042 53 3314). Open: 7pm-10.30pm (9.30pm Sun) daily and 12.30pm-2pm Sun. New Park Manor Hotal Lyndhurst Road, Brockenhurst, Hampshire (0590 23467) Open: noon-2pm and

Doves fall victim to pigeons' charms

Struggling for survival: From left, the Duke of Burgundy fritillary, usually seen in woodland clearings; the orange tip, devotee of the

row, the chalkhill blue, whose sole food plant is the horse-shoe vetch; and the swallowtail, now confined to East Anglia

Fair Isle's rare rock doves are but the only creature we saw losing their purity, seduced by was stuffed. The warden, Nick lingering racing pigeons who Riddiford is a leading interhave no desire to return home. national expert, and a smiling, By the end of the century, the relaxed host who will gladly talk doves' distinctive markings -grey backs, little white rumps and two black lines on their wings - will be on the way out. Today, there are only 20 pairs of pure rock doves left, one of the last colonies, on this remote island between Shetland and

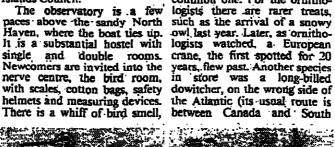
Orkney.

At the Fair Isle Bird Observatory, the most northerly of a dozen official field stations in Britain and Ireland, staff have logged and studied 333 feath-ered species, and the figure still climbs. Visitors are welcome at the observatory, where ornithologists invite them to share their way of life.

Dedicated bird "twitchers". arity hunters, who will charter a plane to score sightings, descend out of the skies during the famed autumn migration Lesser fanciers visit throughout the season, joining ornithologists who ring around 10,000 in, arms birds a year. Even novices, who are inside arrive scarcely able to tell a seconds." puffin from an oyster catcher, catch their enthusiasm, though they might not appreciate the native bonxies. These great brown skua gulls dive-bomb intruders during the breeding season, and sometimes hit them

head on. We came to Fair Isle by sea The Good Shepherd, a small but sturdy wooden ferry, takes three hours from Grutness, on the southern tip of Shetland. The journey, enlivened by the sight of following dolphins, is free - subsidized by Shetland Islands Council.

The observatory is a few It is a substantial hostel with single and double rooms. Newcomers are invited into the There is a whiff of bird smell,



Northern visitors: The great snipe (left) and the fulmar

about birds if visitors want to listen but won't insist on it if

teers whom he was training. The first round the following day would be at 7am, we were told, and this was often the best. So at seven the next morning I dutifully joined Dave, one of the volunteers, who earns his living organizing minicabs in London. We walked across wet grass near tall rocky cliffs which harbour colonies of puffins, fulmars, shags and shelter seals. "We have 10 Heligoland traps, named after the centre in Germany where a bird observatory was set up 80 years ago," explained Dave, eyeing a meadow pipit. He entired the bird to fly the length of the chickenwire trap, built along a drystone wall. "Most of the birds we catch by driving them

they don't. He had with him

three seasonal amateur volun-

The fluttering juvenile tripped the catch and was im-prisoned. Dave tenderly picked it out, ringed its leg on the spot, made an entry in his notebook and released the fledgling. Next came a couple of rock pipits, and - in the baited trap back near base - a veritable crowd of furious herring and blackbacked gulls, who were crammed into bags and brought back to the bird room for a pre-breakfast measuring session.

in, arms waving so that they are inside for only a few

You don't often get to eye a captive guil that close, even a common one. For the ornitho-



Visitors are encouraged to



Check out: Nick Riddiford, observatory warden, rings a gull

America) who stayed on Fair Isle for a few days. Waifs and strays, such as a

rustic bunting (later redis-covered in Greece, en route back to its native Asia) are not as significant as main migratory species. Thousands of redwings pass through in autumn. I met the first of the solitary common sandpipers flying south. Only a few weeks old, it had already covered at least 200 miles from Norway and would continue to Africa. Awe-inspiring.

Lying on that migratory route from Scandinavia to Europe and beyond where the North forms waves with the Atlantic Ocean, Fair Isle has been an observatory since 1948. In that year the ornithologist George Waterston bought the island, which he presented to the National Trust for Scotland six years later.

We went in search of breeding grounds, armed with borrowed binoculars and identification books, and spent hours transfixed by the behaviour of puffins and fulmars. We shielded ourseives against vicious skuas, and reported an oystercatcher lamed by wool tangled around its legs.

participate, to sail on the inflatable dinghy with bird ringers, who absail down sheer cliffs, and to watch slide shows after supper. On calm nights you might see storm petrels enticed into mist nets, for ringing, by tape recordings of their own songs.

Bird life is not all that Fair Isle has to offer. Mingling with the community is a natural extension of staying at the observatory. We were at the northern end of the island, which is mostly heather moor. The 70 residents live mainly on 20 crofts in the fertile south growing crops and keeping cows and sheep who roam widely.

We joined islanders on a

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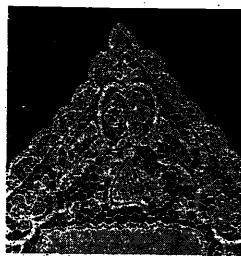
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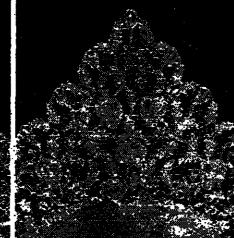
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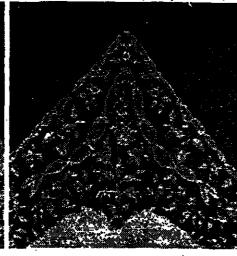
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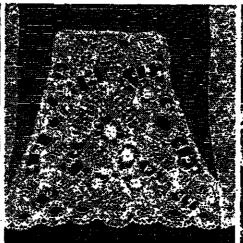
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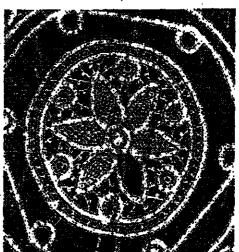
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items: From left, three handkerchiefs with deep lace borders - Youghal needlepoint c1880 showing an Irish harp, 248; Honiton lace c1850 with a typical flower design, £85; Brussels needlepoint on machine-m

Bobbin back into the limelight

There is nothing like a little touch of scandal and intrigue to Nottingham, Devon and Bucks should get out their order books. Lace is in demand.

Some would say its potential ing at the rate of 1,200 new members a year for the Lace Guild, and the machine industry, which only 30 years ago was still fragmented into separate makers, dyers and merchants, is instead of now operating efficiently as a unified whole. Public appreciate it is disconnected to the control of the control ation of antique lace has changed, too. Instead of buying any piece of linen with a lace edge, customers are becoming knowledgeable collectors, recognizing the difference between Brussels and Honiton, Maltese and Bucks point,

But that is no guarantee that lace will survive on any large scale. For 300 years it has had a pretty bumpy ride. Booms one decade, slumps the next, a rivolity representing wealth and glamour, an ephemeral thing at the whim of fashion.

Santina Levey, keeper of textiles and dress at the Victoria L Albert Museum, has just Artitlen the most authoritative wook on the subject - Lace a History published by the nuseum in conjunction with W. S. Maney, price £59. It is a eference for specialists and collectors, magnificently illusrated and carefully researched ny Miss Levey not only at the V & A. which has the largest textiles department in the world, but also on visits to the major collections of lace in Furope and America.

Her findings contradict many theories about the development of lace, which, she says, did not improve a flagging image, so of lace, which, she says, did not after all the publicity for last week's television screening of Shirley Conran's novel Lace, word meant a tie, braid or cord until well into the seventeenth

"People have tried to say there was lace before the 1500s, had already been spotted, but none of their theories stands interest in hand lace is increas- up", Miss Levey says. "Because up", Miss Levey says. "Because it was a useless decoration it came into existence only because fashion demanded it. It depended on a growing use of linen as a visible part of dress, instead of simply for under-

> It is difficult to pinpoint exactly where and when the first form of lace, needle lace, originated – probably in Flanders, where they had fine linen and a tradition of white embroidery. But it also developed at about the same time in Italy, the centre of luxury trades and of passementerie from which bobbin lace is likely to have developed.

There are romantic tales of lace being brought to England by Flemish settlers fleeing from religious persecution, but Santina Levey does not accept this theory. "It came here as something fashionable to wear. The finest early lace was certainly imported, and needleand embroiderers quickly copied it. It was probably one of those things that spontaneously happen independently in several places at once in fashion, and it was a convenient trade for the poor because raw materials and equipment were cheap and the finished product was expens-

So expensive that courtiers paid more for their lace than for



From the seventeenth century, hand-made lace zigzagged over the fashion graph - up with caps, kerchiefs and ruffles, with Directoire simlicity, up again when Victoria commissioned Honiton lace for her wedding dress, keeping 200 people in Beer in Devon employed from March onfil November 1839, and finally down and out with the outbreak of the First World War. The machine lace industry, which began in the 1790s, kept going longer, but demand waned after the Second World

It took another 30 years for interest to pick up again. In 1976 a group of teachers in Buckingham and Bedford realized that there were more lacemakers left than they had thought and they formed the Lace Guild to band them together, to exchange news and patterns and to promote classes and encourage design. Until this year they have been, you might say, somewhat loosely organ-ized, but as they have run entirely on voluntary labour

their jewels. It was often made Above, camiknickers in black silk satin and Nottingham lace, sizes of precious metals, and for the marriage in 1613 of Elizabeth, daughter of James I, the warrant to the Great Wardrobe lists more than 1,100lb of gold and silver (see 1000). Above, calmichickers in black six sain and Northingham lace, sizes of precious metals, and for the marriage in 1613 of Elizabeth, daughter of James I, the warrant to the Great Wardrobe lists more than 1,100lb of gold and silver (see 1000). The same sain sain and Northingham lace, sizes of sain and Northingham lace, sizes of

> growing membership, now 6,500, they have built up Stourbridge which will be their headquarters.

> At the moment one of the ways they are spreading the word is by arranging a weekend course for would-be teachers of lacemaking. It will take place on November 2-4 at Pendrell Hall, Codsall, near Woverhampton, and will cost £47 for a single room with full board. For more details contact Christine Berrow, 7 Southwood Close, Kingswinford, West Midlands (0384 278105).

There will also be a lace workshop on September 10.30am-4pm, organized by The Northumbria Lacemakers' Guild during their exhibition of antique and contemporary lace at Sunderland Aris Centre, 17 Grange Terrace, Stockton Road, (0783 41214). The day costs £5 plus £3 for materals.

At about the same time that the Lace Guild was formed,

and have been amassing £8 a Susan Cox was travelling year subscriptions from a regularly from London to growing membership, now Devon as a textile design and colour consultant. To fill in week visits she decided to take an evening class, and someone happened to suggest lace. Like many before her, she became addicted to the craft, and by 1979 she had founded the

> - recently moved out of the town centre to a Georgian house near Exeter. She has residential and day courses for beginners and advanced students taught by experts who came from the areas where the different techniques originated - Honiton, Buckingham, Bedford - and she makes an effort to prevent old

English Lace School in Tiverton

example. Courses from October to December are in tatting, smock making, Torchon/Beds/Bucks, Branscombe and Needlepoint, Honiton. Day fees are £42 for

laces dying, even if only one or

Downtown lace is a very good

three days including lunch and coffee; residential courses include full board are from £130

for a twin room for five nights. For more information and details of next year's courses contact The English Lace School, Honiton Court, Rockbeare, Nr Exeter, Devon (0404

But as with so many crafts it is not enough to enjoy the process of making and to repeat old techniques - there must be some development in design and purpose if growth is to be sustained.

"If the craft is going to continue", says Santina Levey people have to be forwardlooking and receptive. At the thoment too many people are producing copies of nineteenthcentury copies of eighteenthcentury lace, and there is a limit to the number of times you can go on doing that".

"All the early lace had a purpose, and today's makers have to think what is going to be done with the finished product and find a new approach to lace, using the old techniques to make new objects. This is what they are doing in Belgium and Scandinavia three-dimensional sculptures, for example, and pictorial panels in many colours."

One of the designers doing just such work is Ann Collier, a craft teacher and author of Creative Design in Bobbin Lace (Batsford, £9.95). She is vice-president of the International Organization of Bobbin Lace and Needle Lace, formed in 1982 to encourage the exchange of ideas between teachers and lacemakers in all countries. Her specialities are abstract pictures and fans, using a variety of

coloured threads. If this is the way forward for lace, collectors still prefer to look back. Lunn Antiques at 86 New King's Road, London SW6 (01-736 4638), were among the first to specialize in old lace and now have one of the largest dating from 1620. Their most popular pieces are the big, square, Continental pillowcases - good examples are now about £38 each - teacloths, at around £68, and, increasingly, bedcovers made of Marsella lace - a weaving technique invented in Marseilles which looks embossed. A nineteenth-century example would be about £150.

Ritva Westenius is another specialist of long standing. She started to collect lace 25 years ago and now sells a wide variety of old lace (no reproduction) at 153c Fulham Road, London SW3 (581 3878). She has particularly fine antique veils from £120, which customers buy for use as evening shawls. and exquisite christening robes from £25 to £75. Smaller items include handkerchiefs, jabots, gloves and cushions, from £5 to £25. She also designs and makes wedding dresses, incorporating antique pieces or new lace made to nineteenth-century designs: prices are from £180 average is about £350.

And for those who think of alluring and flattering trimming Keturah Brown makes some of the most sumptuous lingerie in silk satin, crepe de chine and cotton voile. Camiknickers costs £58, a half slip £47 and matching bra £17; and there are nightdresses, negligees and pyjamas as well. Stockists include Simpson's, Piccadilly, London W1, and Sweet Dreams, 12 Chertsey Road, Guildford.

Keturah Brown, at 85 Regent's Park Road, London NWI, will send by mail at no extra sharge (01-586 0512). All her current collection is trimmed with Nottingham Lace and is in a range of pinks, peaches and plum colours that look as luscious as iced sorbets. But then, the effect of lace since it was first invented has always been to make the wearers, like cakes on a doily, look good enough to cat.

Good taste can be just a matter of course

Tasting wine is one of life's most pleasurable pursuits. But tasting and comparing a wide range of wines on a regular bases is well nigh impossible (unless you happen to be in the trade). Hence the creation of the wine tasting course.

The courses run by Christie's and Sotheby's are probably the most upmarket but I have also heard very good reports of the wine appreciation courses run by the inner London Education Authority. Cheap and cheerful, they are open to people who live in inner London for £22 for a three-term year and to non-ILEA residents for £33; the cost of the six or so wines that are tasted each week is usually shared among the class, which adds about £2 a week to the basic fee. The course is conduc-ted by a member of the Wine & Spirit Education Trust and covers the basic points such as how to taste, the key facts about a little bit of vini and viti

Full details are given in the Floodlight booklet, which is available from good bookshops and newsagents for 50p or from the ILEA Information Centre, Room 77, County Hall, London SEI 7PB, for £1 (including postage and packing). Most of the venues are in north-west or south-west London, and most of the sessions are held in the evening; however, there are a few day courses as well. ILEA is also running a "Wines of Europe" course at two schools. The official enrolment period is



Christie's Wine Course starts on October 2. There are two self-contained parts to the course; each is limited to 45 people and is conducted by well-known names in the wine world such as Harry Steven Spurrier and Michael Broadbent, the distinguished head of Christie's wine department.

The basic course, "Introduction to French Wines", covers subjects such as how to taste, grape varieties and wine styles. as well as the major French wine regions. It costs £80 and is held on Tuesday evenings from October 2 to October 30. "French Wines - Advanced (Tuesday evenings Level" between November 6 and December 4, £115) concentrates on the "great wines of Burgundy and Bordeaux". The wines served will consist entirely of cru classe or premier and grand cru level. Write to Christie's Wine Course, 63 Old Brompton Road, London SW7 (01-581 3933) for registration forms and further information.
"Wine evenings with Sothe-

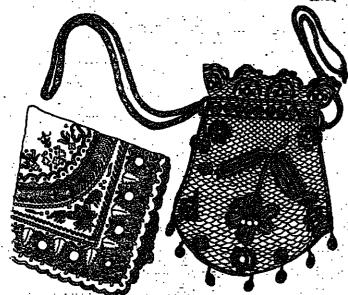
by's" is, as the name suggests,

conducted in a different style. Sotheby's hope that the even-

ings will prove "instructive and relaxing" and they offer an aperitif before each session to get everyone in the right frame of mind. Speakers include such authoritative figures as Marchese Piero Antinori from Tuscany and Hamilton Narby of Chateau Guirsud in the Sauternes region. The price for the series of six is £145 but people can also book one or more of the evenings (priced around £25 each) on an individual basis. They are held roughly every other Thursday evening from September 27 to December 6 at Sotheby's St George Street Gallery; write to Sotheby's Wine Department, 34-35 New Bond Street, Lon-don W1 (01-493 8080).

If the thought of an individual wine tasting and lecture appeals more than a course, it is well worth considering the selection offered in La Vigneronne's Wine Tastings leaflet, available from the company, 105 Old Brompton Road, London SW7. In the past I have found these evening tastings fascinating the most promising this autumn look like being 1. California Selection (October 23, £15), the Old Bottled Harveys Sherries (November 15, £8.75) and the 1963 Vintage Port (November 22, £15.50).

Jane MacQuitty



Victorian Irish crochet pouch, £48 and early 1830s Ayrshire whitework handkerchief, £55, both at Ritva Westenius

Keeping one jump ahead of the interior decorators is not easy when some of the best designs are never shown to the public. But astute home furnishers can already buy some of the furniture that is to decorators' trade show next

nonth.
Collins and Hayes will be showing their new range called Romantic, designed by Alan Pledge to reflect the new feeling for gentle, classic shapes in uphotstered furniture. The look includes not only three. and two-seater sofas and luxuriously comfortable arm chairs, but round tables with floor length cloths, scatter cushions, coordinated temps and shades and fabric by the metre to make matching curtains.

There are six shapes in sofas and eight in armchairs and the idea is to mix the shapes in the same fabric or choose one shape for sofas and chairs but use complementary or reverse colour uphoistery. Definitely the death knes of the three piece suite. The fabric range includes cotion jacquards, damasks, acrylics, velvets and moires - several

hundred when you count up all the

colourways, so you are very

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looking just like yours. Prices (depending on the choice of fabric) are from £144 for a skirted stool, 2347 for an arm chair, £522 for a two-seater sofa and £650 for a three-seater. You can choose piping in self or contrast colour and each border can be piped or supplied with a tallored skirt at no extra cost.

The styles illustrated are two Longiellow sofas, small from £735, large from £872 with high slim arms and extra end cushions, and the Massfield chair with a low back and large sloping head cushion, from £386. The Romantic range can be seen now at Harrods and in October at selected Collins and Hayes stockists.

Damask dreams

If you are old enough to remember Cecily Courtneidge's. dozen double dámask dinner napkins tongue-twister you probably think of damask as something crisp and stiffly starched, as in this country it is usually made from linen. On the Continent, though, damask is used for bedding and is made and once you have slept under a damask cover you won't want to know about polye So says Anni Harvey-Rice, who was brought up with damask in

Germany and who, because of the long hot summer, has decided to import damask to make into

anything made with synthetic fibres, she says. She offers three sizes of continental quilt cover in white damask. Singles including postage are £23.85, doubles £33.95, kingsize £38.95 with pillowslips £3.85 each. Cot sets (cover and pillow) are avallable to order at £10.99, and can be decorated with broderie anglaise for an extra £4. For more details contact Damask Supreme, 6 Westlyn Road, Pember Heath, Besingstoke, Hampshire (0734 700512)

bedlinen here - much cooler than

Special treatment Devotees of Katherine

Corbett's beauty treatments felt they would never face the world again when she gave up her clinic earlier this year. Now at least they can continue the good work at home for she has started a mail order service of her special treatment creams. They are particularly suitable for those with problem skins. Acne sufferers are helped by suriners are respectory
Lisdocnyama Spa spray for
cleansing (24.25 for 240ml) and the
Cleansing Emulsion (4.95 for 148g)
is intended for those with extremely sensitive skins which can be easily imitated - you don't follow up with the usual toning lotion which can have drying effect on fine skin. I tried the skin food, which contains cocoa butter and is certainly the richest and most emoliant cream ! have come across, it is not necessary to use it every night -Katherine Corbett suggest a couple of times a week in a hot, steamy bath when the pores are open. (£3.85 for 100g). All the creams and lotions are made without perfume preservative, so the chemical content is kept as low as possible. in addition to the nine items specially formulated for the range, there are also four items, soap, bleach, sun tan cream and beauty

lotion, made by Drula, the German

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company who also specialize in products for problem skins. A list and details of postal charges is If you have skin problems or don't

know which products would be best for you, Katherine Corbett is still available to give free consultations. Quite a lot of guidence can be given on the telephone or appointments can be made to see her at her new second floor offices at 21 South Molton Street, London W1 (01 491 4688). Solder neevus and thread veins. and also brown patches, are still treated by the medical experts who have taken over the first floor, Which is still known as the Katherine Corbett Clinic under the direction of Marie O'Sullivan, a registered nurse. Treatments for face and legs from £40. For appointments telephone 01-493 5905.

Curious ceramics

An exhibition of unusual and original ceramics opened on Sunday at the Katharine House

Gallery, The Parade, Marlborugh, Wiltshire.

They are by three young women potters, Jennifer Amon, who is still a student at the Royal College of Art, Anne Harris, who left Croydon College of Art in 1979 and Linda Gunn-Russell, whose work is in the permanent collections of the Victoria and Albert Museum and the Cleveland Crafts Centre. Linda's pots are ingenious and original – vases and jugs flattened and distorted with the opening of the vessel tilted forward – almost a pot parody. Anne's are simple earthenware bowls of clay burnished to achieve a leather-like

lennifer decorates her pots by covering them with light liquid clay and then painting with wax resist. The clay is washed off the areas and the filled with glaza, giving an unusual and interesting texture. The ones shown are 2180 for the large, £60 for the small.

The gallery is open Wed-Sat 10am-5pm and Sun 11am-4pm. The exhibition contines until Oct 12.



Carousel

Here's a roundabout way of storing your groceries - a set of containers on a revolving base for kitchens with too little cupboard space. The nine containers, small, medium and large, stack in any order - use them for pasta, lentils, dried fruits, biscuits, sweets. In transparent plastic with cream base and airtight ids the set costs £14.99 by St Michael at 20 major branches of Marks & Spencer now and in another 25 branches by the end of

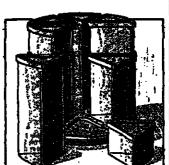
Borrowed plumes

Those who deplore the lack of formality in today's dress might agree that an off-the-shoulder ball gown is not entirely suitable wear for the office; so the pretty girl who appeared in such a dress at The Times last week could hardly blame us for asking if she was a singing telegram. She wasn't. She was promoting a

company called Simpsons which hires out the sort of full skirted, decollete, ruffled frock that goes with fox trots and waltzes and sets you back about 2550 for one evening's wear. Posy Myers, who started Simpsons

three years ago with her partner Richard Callaghan, designs the dresses herself and goes to a lot of trouble to see that the same dress does not apear at the same function twice. The dresses are in silk, taffeta, satin, cottons, lame don't expact slik chiffons or classic drapes; these are definitely the sort of little number Scarlet O'Hara Costs are from 220 to £50 to hire

an outfit for three or four days. If you want something new made it costs £10 extra. Sizes are usually 8 to 14 or a tall 16 and hiring is all by appointment (telephone 01-381 4990). A selection is also available at Moss Bros in Covent Garden. Evening dress hire is also available at One Night Stand, 44 Alexandra House, 140 Battersea Park Road, Doniger who started the company last year because she says she was "fed up with my girl friends



borrowing my evening dresses", it offers a wide variety of styles. Many of the dresses are her own originals, others are from wellknown designers, including Janice Wainwright, Jasper Conran, Frank Usher and include sleek dinner dresses in draped jersey as well as ballerina length party frocks and full ball gowns. There are handbags and jewelry to match, too, to complete the outfit. Costs are £40.25 to hire from Friday to Monday or overnight in London during the week. There are about 150 dresses - no two alike -in sizes 8 to 20 and suitable for ages 16 to 65. There are even some styles to wear during pregnancy. All visits are by appointment only (telephone 01-

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- CHESS Why evolution is the name of the game

SATURDAY

One aspect of the game of chess that has always intrigued and captivated me is the fact that it in a constant state of evolution. I am not referring to the rules, since the last change in these came as far back as the fifteenth century, when the en passant rule was introduced. Despite attempts by former world champions to change them, the game has not altered one little bit chess has now reached a peak of perfection as far as the rules are concerned.

But the style of play, in particular in the opening and middle-game. is constantly changing. Players who are still playing the same kind of chess as they played 50 years ago are all on the downgrade, easy meat for those who have changed with the times.

Richard Reti first drew attention to this evolution in his entrancing book Modern Ideas in Chess. I became acquainted with it when I won a prize in the British Boys Championship tournament at Hastings in 1927. In those days it was thought positively immoral for boys to he awarded money prizes in chess; instead we were given to buy whatever we pleased in local shops.

Réti's theory about chess 10 8M Salieb 11 Pas evolution appealed to me but he may have erred in classifying chess rather as though it was wholly an art like poetry, painting or music. Adolf Anderssen, for instance, did not play romantic chess, even though he lived in the days when Beethoven composed remantic music and Wordsworth wrote romantic poetry. What were and are the

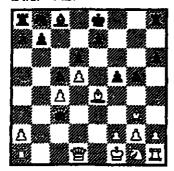
changes in the style of play that manifested this constant evolution of the game? I can best illustrate them by referring to the evolution in the last 50 years, when I was active as a player. The changes all represent a constant attempt to render the game more dynamic and this can best be seen in the 13 C-B3 14 B-B2 P-B6 openings. where White is 16 P-B9 15 P-B6 seeking to attack and form his plan of campaign as early as 16....9xP himself but endeavours to counter-attack quickly.

Since the chess that is typical of the best opening theory is produced by the great players, it follows that the leaders of this evolution are all strong players of world class. In our time the leaders of this school of counter-attack and attack have been three great Russian masters: Boleslavsky. Bronstein and Galler, and it is largely to these three that we owe most of the modern theory of the King's Indian Desence. They demonstrated that the fianchettoed King's Bishop constituted a counter-attacking powerful weapon and they owed much of their success to the activities of that piece.

A reminder of all this is to be found in a fine book by Y. P. Geller, The Application of Chess Theory (Pergamon, £2.75). It demonstrates how he has played against the best of the world's players - in the Sicilian Defence and in the King's Indian Defence in particular. I quote from the book a game he won against the late Leonid Stein. White, L. Stein, Black, Y.P. Geller. Moscow, USSR Team Championship 1966. Q.P. King's Indian Defence.

1 P-Q4 N-KB3 2 P-Q84 P-KN 3 K-Q83 B-N2 4 R-K4 P-Q2 5 B-N5 Stein, like Geller, clearly has ideas of a firm and early Kingside attack. 5 P-KR3 7 P-Q5 Q-R4 9 B-N3 NaKP 6 B-R4 P-B4 8 B-Q3 P-KN4

A speculative sacrifice which Geller, in his book, condemns, preferring 9 N-R4.



A mistake that loses a vital tempo; correct was 13 R-B1 Q-N2 14 P-KR4 PxP 15 Q-R5 ch with advantage to White. If 16 B-R2 P-B6!

possible, and Black is not A mistake; correct was 17 Q-content with just defending K1, when, however, Black can play 17, . N-Q2 18 B-R2 N-K4 19 N-B3. R-R1 with the better game. 17**Px**N

If 18 B-R4 R-R I 18.... N-Q2 19 P-N3 N-K4 20 Q-R5 cb K-Q1 21 P2P N-N5 22 R-K1 R-R1 23 8-R7 Q-N2 White resigns, since after 24 B-

FAMILY LIFE

Sam, aged 11, flung himself and his homework onto a chair and sighed. "I've got to choose two scientists, a man and a woman and write about what they did and why they're famous. Who shall I do, Jude?" he said. I dropped a couple of names then suggested that he take himself off to the Science Museum at the earliest opportunity. "It's a great place", he said. "We went

with the school last year for a

project we were doing, but I

wouldn't know where to begin if

I went along." Not an uncommon reaction. If you go with a school party (and 5,000 such groups visited the museum last year, some 2,500 from primary schools and the rest from secondary schools), you come into the museum through a special entrance, assemble in a large room set aside for schools, from which, with your teacher and specially designed worksheets, you may saily forth with some confidence. On your own the layout is daunting. As one child put it "You feel as if you are in

With children in mind I went to talk to Dr Anthony Wilson, head of education at the museum, to ask him how well he thought the museum catered for young, inquiring minds and what plans, if any, were afoot to make it more accessible.

a giant sweetshop where there is

so much on display that you just don't know what to

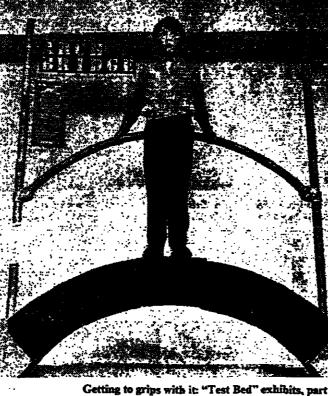
Tableaux to match Madame Tussands

choose".

"You've come in the quietest week of the year, now that most children are back at school"; he said with a smile. "Last week you could not hear yourself think! Among many adults the museum has the reputation of being very good, very accessible; but for children it is a difficult museum to use – it is so big, overwhelming and for most of the year so crowded.

"As far as school groups go, the primary schools are the easiest to please; the hardest to suit are the science teachers. Many primary schools concentrate on one particular topic, space being the most popular. when the BBC does a television programme about space the museum is ghastly for a few months afterwards! Primaries also show a lot of interest in aeroplanes, land transport and

"At the secondary level many school visits are history based, often tied to a syllabus. I should say that a third of the 2,500 Harry Golombek parties from secondary schools



Getting to grips with it: "Test Bed" exhibits, part of the "Launch Pad" project at the Science Museum

Science spectacular with a simple touch

come because the Industrial Revolution is part of that svilabus - children come to study steam engines, textiles and now, increasingly, the Wel-lcome Gallery, which covers the history of medicine. In fact this week we have taken on an extra member of the teaching staff to help with this part of the museum exclusively."

And a very fine part of the museum it is too, stunningly displayed, with tableaux that out-Tussaud Tussauds (and any others I have seen, including the impressive Viking village of Jorvik in York) with enough to provide the basis for innumerable related projects. and excellent educational leaflets provided for further study. The entire gallery is of a quality, in design and content, that I have not seen bettered in any other British museum.

Outings

entertainments to watch on, above,

and beside the river, including

a grand display of fireworks at

Hungerford Bridge, south side, today 11am-10.30pm. Free.

TWO BREWERIES FELL RACE:

Westminster Bridge and

THAMESDAY: Many

Those interested in running and/or stamina may watch the con ttle over an 18 mile course with 50,00ft of climbing en route, from Traquair House Brewery to Broughton Brewery. The event forms part of the Scottish Hill barge races, parachute displays, music, dancing, street theatre, with

Dr Wilson is very concerned that the museum should in-

The parts that I think are particularly good for children have to be sought out. The

Children's Gallery was marvel-

lous in 1930 but however

interesting, it has remained the

same, though it's still very

popular. I have a great affection

for the agriculture section - as do my young daughters - and of

course space and railway en-

gines are always well-visited.

But looking at history isn't

aiming for is to show the effects

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Which led us neatly into

"What I think we should be

believe the museum bas

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Running Championship and should deter any but the fittest. Traquair House, Innerleithen, Scottish Borders. Today, from 12

A NIGHT AT THE OPERA: The Marx borthers at their absolute talking about the museum's most recent decision - about which Dr Wilson (and subsequently I too) felt very enthusiastic: the Launch Pad project the culmination of five years' dreaming and planning, piloted this summer and due to open in

The project developed nat-

urally out of an increasing awareness among educationists that we learn through tactile experience as much as through "Discovery other rooms", where visitors, and children in particular, could literally get to grips with objects. have proved increasingly popular in museums over the past

Over the same period educationists have realized that the "pushbutton" technology so often employed to show bow something works, is actually

family will know and younger ones may enjoy discovering. Children's Cinema Club, Barbican Centre, Cinema 2, EC2 (638 4141) Today, 2.30pm, Child member £1 (membership £1 or 50p for day).

OLIVER TWIST and LORD OF THE RINGS: Not the Moody version, but David Lean's classic, with Alec Guinness as Fagin, in a chilling production of the Dickens classi today. Tomorrow, Tolkien's Lord of the Rings as seen through Ralph Bakshi's eyes and possibly yours. Junior NFT, National Film Theatre,

counter-productive: that children particularly, once the button is pushed, interest in what is being demonstrated wanes; but that by doing something yourself (as some of us have known for years) you

learn, sometimes unforgettably. The new Launch Pad gallery will give visitors the chance to explore the world of engineering and technology at first hand, by carrying out experiments and demonstrations - some deceptively simple, some spectacular. It will, Dr Wilson believes. show the "how" as opposed to the history of science, the principles as opposed to the application.

And it will also be fun (which can promise, having tried out some of the experimental projects myself). The main aim", Dr Wilson said, "is to provoke more enthusiasm and

South Bank, SE1 (926 3232). Today 4pm, tomorrow, 3.45pm. Children £1.20, accompanying adults £2.40.

HISTORIC VEHICLES RALLY: Some 200 antique vehicles – classics, sports cars, commercials, old cycles and motor cycles - on display, in action and judged for various trophies. Also an autojumble, marquee with licensed bar, grounds, animals, playground, Holker Hall, Cark-in-Cartmel, Grange-over-Sands, Cumbria (044 853328). Tomorrow from 10am. Adult £2, Child, £1.

interest about how things work than one had before one tried them out - and if you learn something too, then that's a bonus."

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It may sound far-fetched but those responsible for setting up the project believe that it may even ultimately produce more scientists and technologists. In the United States, where such schemes abound, this belief is well-established. Having played with 20 or so exhibits/mach l believe they are right: I earned more about some of the principles of momentum, surface tension and energy in half an hour than a succession of science teachers managed to acquaint me with over five years, and I will not be the only

At present there is a list of more than 400 ideas for possible exhibits in Launch Pad, a selection of which is being tested by scientists, Many will be useless in the end - impractical or unsafe - but a few will make the grade." By 1986 a hundred or so will be ready and waiting for you and your children to try out. In the meantime, Dr Wilson and his colleagues will be refining and adding to those exhibits on display last month in the "Test Bed" section. Come the Christ-mas holidays, you will be able to try them out.

Take the galleries one by one

If you have the time to take younger members of the family the museum, however often or rarely you have been before, bear in mind Dr Wilson's parting remark.

We were standing near the entrance when a young be-mused mother with two children called after her husband: We'll meet you in the Children's Gallery". "Where's that?" he replied. "You see". said Dr Wilson, "it is sometimes an overwhelming place. My advice would be to come and see one or two galleries only, take what you can, then go home even if you have made a

long journey. Working on the principle that enough is as good as a feast, or, as all good schoolteachers know, that after the maximum attention span you stop digest-ing, I know he made sense.

Judy Frosbaug The Science Museum, London SW7 (589 3456) is open Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm, Sun 2.30pm-6pm, free. Test Pad - pilot for the proposed Launch Pad - will be open during the Christmas holidays from Dec

A merry tale of helping hands

Bridge humour, like wine, is the hands themselves may be largely a matter of taste. Where more important than the sugar matter of taste. Where more important than the sugar largely a matter of taste. Where one pundit may praise a wine as with which the pill is coated. being "soft and immediately accessible", another will dismiss have about the window dressit as "flabby and obviously" chaptalized."

Unnolv Tricks by Terence Reese and David Bird (Gollancz, £7.95) is a further account of the exploits of the monks of St Titus. I am tery of San Giovanni. unfamiliar with daily life in a St Titus v San Giovanni. Northmonastery, so I cannot offer an opinion on the credibility of the abbot's devious plots to reserve the best wine for himself. Where the monks are seen on their own ground, the tales seem plausible enough. But when the action moves to Upper Bhumpopo, believable situation comedy degenerates into farce.

The device of presenting bridge hands in a fictional sciting is a legitimate way of This was the bidding in the lightening instructional matroom where the Italians were 0.1092 erial, but for keen bridge players North-South.

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10 Spicy rice (5)
11 Lavatory (3)

13 Cash register (4)

17 Soporific (6) 18 Punctured tyre (4)

21 Bantu meeting (6)

Two of a kind (4)

Seventh Zodiac sign

Assistant (4)

30 Lawmaking body

Identical (5)

4 Norwegian skater's

5 Large exhibition (4)

Reasonable (11)

4 Land portion (3)

15 Tyrolean skirt (6)

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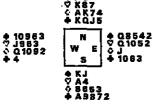
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Whatever reservations I may ing. Unholy Tricks undoubtedly contains some interesting hands. The following illustration is taken from a match between St Titus and a visiting Italian team from the monas-South game. Dealer North.



CONCISE CROSSWORD (No 446)

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SOLUTION TO No 440 (last Saturday's prize concise) ACROSS: 1 Gustav Holst 9 Insular 10 Claim 11 Bah 13 Into 16 Abet

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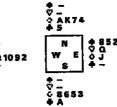
Recommended dictionary is the New Collins

The winners of prize concise No 440 arc: Dr B Fletcher-Jackson. 40 Chantry Court. Woods Avenue, Hatfield. Hertfordshire: and S. Lane, 10 East Park, Sawbridgeworth, Hertfordshire.

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Whatever discipline monastic life imposes, it apparently does not extend to a rejection of conventions. South's 3NT was an invitation to a slam in a minor, and North's 4NT showed that he had good support for both minors. Declarer won the lead in

hand, and drew three rounds of trumps. After he had eliminated the major suits, this was the five card ending, with the lead in



Prizes of the New Collins Concise English dictionary will be given for the first two correct solutions opened on Thursday, September 20, 1984. Entries should be addressed to The Times Concise Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be announced on Saturday, September 22, 1984. If the diamonds were 3-2, there would be no problem. But Padre Giotto showed that he was an experienced technician when he played a low diamond from dummy. This line would succeed against several distributions. East perforce played the $\Diamond J$, and West overtook with the $\Diamond Q$. When West returned the \$2, declarer faced an uncomfortable decision. If East's OJ was a singleton, the winning play was to duck. But how foolish he would look, Padre Giotto reflected, if the diamonds were 3-2 all the time. Eventually he played the Ace, to go one down.

It occurs to me that declarer could have slightly improved his plan. Suppose that instead of winning the first trick in hand, he wins with dummy's acc. As before, he draws three ACROSS: 1 Manque 5 Vilify 8 Foe 9 Behalf 10 Gyrate 11 What 12 Converge 14 Fjords 17 Washer 19 Skinhead 22 Nice 24 Oblige rounds of trumps, and eliminates the hearts, before cashing 25 Inroad 26 Run 27 Expect 28 Gdansk
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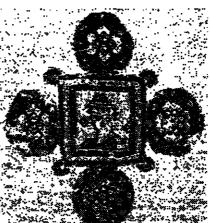
he starts the diamonds from his own hand. If West plays the \$2. declarer plays low from dummy and East is end-played after winning the OJ. If West contributes the O10 or O9, declarer wins in dummy and returns a low diamond, creating a winning ten ace in dummy. West's only chance is to rise with the queen of diamonds. If declarer can be induced to think it is a singleton, he might duck and face an awkward decision on the next trick. But if the play really went like that and Padre Giotto erred, he could surely find prompt absolution at his next confession.

Skill of the Copts revealed by the robbers

dogmatic about precisely who the Copts were, but most will accept the wide description of them as the indigenous Christian population of Egypt around the sixth and seventh centuries AD. What has only recently been recognized beyond a small number of collectors is that among this provincial and oppressed people were many highly gifted craftsmen producing textiles of outstanding quality who seem to have absorbed the major artistic influences of their day from their various conquerors.

The Coptic textiles survived in their dry, sandy burial sites until the great wave of archaeologists and grave-robbers dug them up at the end of the last century and on until the 1920s. Few of the early excavations were properly documented, which is why even the experts are fairly hazy about dating and identifying the textiles which are now emerging, especially in the United States. However, the type of decorative motifs found woven in woollen bands, borders and roundels into the plain linen garments fall into three broad categories.

The earliest pieces, dating from the fourth to sixth centuries AD, show a clear Graeco-Roman influence, with entwined vine leaves, horsemen and pastoral figures with all the grace of a Keatsian Attic vase. Around the fifth century more colours were introduced - red





Pieces of the past: Portrait of a woman and dancing figures (fifth and sixth centuries)

madder, blue indigo and yellow from Persian berries were mixed to give startlingly bright turquoises, pinks, purples and greens - and Christian motifs began to oust the classical. Flowers, baskets of fruit and birds and animals, drawn direct from life, were woven in complex tapestry-weave tech-

niques.

By the seventh century, the work was no longer so fine, and as Islam spread throughout the area, more stylized and geo-

metric patterns were used. Because the market in Coptic textiles is not yet properly established, and certainly not over-exposed, it is possible to put together a marvellous collection of pieces. A good

image might cost from £300 to £1,200, and all those who deal in this field agree that a buyer can do extremely well spending less than £1,000.

Last year, when London hosted the International Conference on Oriental Carpets, there were two shows devoted to these early textiles among the many specialist exhibitions. Clive Rogers from Hove, showed a collection of early Islamic textiles and Paul Hug-hes, in London, exhibited 24 pieces of Coptic work. Both shows did well, although museums and dealers were the principal customers, and the best pieces sold better than the smaller fragments. Spinks, who

fragment with a polychromatic began dealing in this field about four years ago, have also found that Coptic textiles are unappreciated, even among textiles collectors.

The fascination of Coptic

textiles lies not only in their antiquity but in the high skill of the weaving techniques and the liveliness of the brightly-coloured decorative motifs: huntsmen chasing deer, a watchful hare, a wren perched on an olive bough, an anachronistically Wizard-of-Oz lion, graceful figures from classical mythology and, best of all, simple portraits. It is these that give the greatest clue to the textiles' origin, for they are not of statesmen, courtiers or Peter Pedmore by appointment on 01-243 8598. nistically Wizard-of-Oz lion, graceful figures from classical simple portraits. It is these that give the greatest clue to the of statesmen, courtiers or

cial and unassuming, rendered The main reason why Coptic

textiles have not been more assiduously collected seems to be that it is only recently, as museums and collectors have begun to value textiles more. that there has been a move to study the conservation and presentation of textiles generally. Modern, elegant methods of mounting and hanging pieces of fabric perspex or new types of flexiglass have also helped people to view textiles more as an art form and less as mere historical artefacts.

With something so old. condition is not of vital importance but dealers advise would-be collectors to obtain proper help in mounting and framing pieces. There are now a handful of dealers who specialize in the field: David Black Paul Hughes, and Spink & Son in London; Clive Rogers in Hove, East Sussex; and Peter Podmore in Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Isabelle Anscombe

Peter Podmore, by appointment,

bejewelled courtesans, but of on 0632 816012.



If at this moment you are coughing smoke out of your lungs and cleaning smuts from your furniture, you

may well not agree that straw burning seems to have abated this year. Barley straw has certainly found a market among livestock farmers who are going to be very short of feed this winter, grass growth having failed to match that of corn. Wheat straw is more of a problem, since it is barely edible, but a lot more seems to have been baled than usual.

Fields of stubble have also survived longer than last year, when it seemed to be standard practice to combine, burn, till and drill within about 72 hours. This year things have slowed down; perhaps the farmers are too busy wondering how they are going to store the record harvest.

Untilled fields are good news for sportsmen. No doubt the Jeremy Flint | partridge chicks have once

The trouble with straw and stubble again suffered from the overuse half a million bottles unsold removed most of the juggernauts

of insecticides which deprive them of their diet, but at least there should be plenty of gleanings. Mallard are particu-larly fond of barley fields, never more so than when drought has dried up many wetlands.



Ouestion: what are Croffta, Cuckmere, Fonthill, Pilton Manor. Felstar and Berwick Glebe? An-

swer: they are some of the names on the labels of the bottles on display at the recent English Wine Festival at Alfriston, Sussex.

Last year's record domestic grape harvest produced about two and a half million bottles, a tiny quantity by Continental standards, but enough to cause ably disposed towards them. But a few marketing problems. I in Kent there seems to be understand that one of the general error stasm for the new larger producers still has some M20-M25 ... nk, which has

from previous years, so it may be just as well if this year's crop On the whole, English wine is

quite pleasant, particularly if you like the fragrant, fruity varieties in which the Germans bottle it is somewhat overpriced. A week or so earlier we had driven through Burgundy and Champagne, passing sign-posts to places like Macon, Beaune, Nuits-St-Georges and Chablis. Coming home to a bottle of Feistar was somehow not quite the same.

> 1 have been accused in the past of writing 100 much about motorways, and worse still of being javour-

from country lanes and village high streets. There are of course two Kents.

There is the rather bleak and boring northern part which stretches from the south east suburbs of the capital past the specialize. But at around £3 a Medway towns to Thanet and to the Channel ports, where every-one is in a hurry to be somewhere else. And then there is the wonderful hinterland of erately tied down, because those the Weald, the true Garden of which are allowed to stretch England and all the little skyward are for some reason "dens", once no more than clearings in the ancient forest but now rich in Norman churches and Tudor cottages.

The village of Smarden from time to time plays unwilling host to a visitor from the cut, ending up with his 35-tonne lorry wedged against a sixteenth-century gable. If motorways stop that sort of thing happening, surely the last people to complain should be conser-



grape harvest. it looks like being a won-derful year for apples. chards in Kent are positively laden with fruit,

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and I use the word advisedly, since the fashion nowadays is for what are really no more than bushes, which look scarcely able to bear the weight. What is more, their branches are delibusually barren. The old sort of apple tree is

no longer considered economic. Many have been chopped down because farmers found it much more profitable to grow corn. You can still see a few here and Continent who has consulted his there, with sheep grazing undermap and decided to take a short neath to keep the grass and weeds down. But you cannot put sheep in modern orchards. because they would eat all the little trees as well.

John Young

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The empire is back and it's a sure-fire winner

The highlight of the early autumn video releases is the money-spinning sequel to Star Wars. The Empire Strikes Back. which CBS/Fox Video is laun-ching on October 18. With no prospect of the film appearing on television before mid 1986 at the earliest, it will be astonishing if the video version does not substantially add to the £3m taken in British cinemas.

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There is hardly any need to recommend the film, which continues the enormously suc-cessful mixture of old-fashioned fairy tale and mind-bending cinema technology. The only surprising thing about The Empire Strikes Back was the script credit: Leigh Brackett, a Hollywood veteran who worked with Howard Hawks on The Big Sleep and Rio Bravo, and Lawrence Kasdan, who later turned director with Body Heat. By setting a dealer price of £35 (which means it will retail at around £52), CBS/Fox is clearly looking for rentals rather than sales. However, Star Wars, which has been on video for some time - and also shown on television - is coming down in price and should be available at around £20.

The other new film titles include several released in the cinema only this year. Among them are Silkwood (Rank), with Meryl Streep as America's first nuclear martyr, Star 80 (Warner Home Video), Bob Fosse's study of the life and death of Dorothy Stratten, the Playboy centrefold: The Dead Zone (Thorn EMI), David Cronenberg's cogent thriller of the paranormal; and a well received Australian film about life in the outback, We of the Never Never (Odyssey), with Angela Punch McGregor.

Although it gained four Oscar nominations and was directed by the far from negligible talent of Martin Ritt. Cross Creek (Thorn EMI) had only a brief cinema showing in Britain. It is the story of the writer, Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings - played by Mary Steenburgen - who is best

known for *The Yearling*.

The crop of older, but still recent, movies now on video includes John Schlesinger's picture of American GIs in Britain, Yanks (Warner), Dustin Hoffman doing his drag act in Tootsie (RCA/Columbia), Clint Eastwood back as the cop Dirty Harry in Sudden Impact (Warner); and Burt Reynolds quick guide to the best movies and Julie Andrews in the on video. All these titles can be (Warner); and Burt Reynolds

New releases

Who Loved Women (RCA/Columbia). An interesting oddity is Roger Corman's low budget

time its cassettes will be available for purchase and not just rental, although with retail prices starting at £27.50 the move may be largely academic. Among the new Disney releases is Something Wicked This Way Comes, directed by Jack Clay-ton from a Ray Bradbury story about sinister happenings at a town carnival, and The Hap-piest Millionaire, with Fred MacMurray and Tommy Steele.

Television drama has been wretchedly represented on cas-sette, mainly because the companies and the unions Video is putting out two of with Mike Leigh's richly comic

Party, with Alison Steadman as the awful hostess; and Nuts in May, which charts the tribulations of a trendy couple camping in Dorset.

Western from 1956, Five Guns:
Western from 1956, Five Guns:
There is TV drama of a more conventional kind in The conventional kind in The Agatha Christie Collection.
Home Video is that for the first time its cassettes will be adaptations of short stories by Christie featuring Maurice Denham, Gwen Watford and Peter Jones. On the comedy front, BBC Video is following the complete episodes of Fawlty Towers with selections from Last of the Summer Wine and Three of a Kind.

West End stage productions are another neglected area on video, though to the slender list can now be added the Andrew Lloyd Webber musical, Song and Dance. Starring Sarah Brightman and Wayne Sleep. the video was recorded on stage could not agree terms for video at the Palace Theatre, London, release. But this is starting to and will be released by RCA/change and this month BBC Columbia on October 19.

Peter Waymark



Club that keeps an eye on the classics

The common complaint of those who want more from films on video than the latest offerings in the sex and horror genres is where on earth to get hold of the tapes. Most video shops, for understandable commercial reasons, stock only a small selection of the most popular titles and ignore the

So while, say, Amityville III, is on every shelf, it may be more difficult to find La Belle et la Bête, Brief Encounter or the works of Herzog and Fassbinder. It can become a vicious circle: because a cassette is not on display it is not asked for and this only reinforces the retailer's conviction that there is no money in classic films.

There is, however, a way out of the impasse and this is to join the British Film Institute's Video Club. It is now open to anyone, whether or not they are members of the BFI, and offers several attractions.

The first, simply, is to provide information on the availability of titles. Its current catalogue, containing details of some 300 films, is a useful romantic comedy The Man obtained through the club,

which saves the bother of splendid examples of 1940s it, both through arrangements fruitless visits to video shops.

Moreover, some of the films are only available through the club. These include Anthony Asquith's fine tribute to the

the Stars, as well as two

The Wicked Lady.

Royal Air Force. The Way to so far small but the club is

melodrama starring James with commercial companies
Mason and Margaret Lock- and by drawing on the resources wood, The Man in Grey and of the National Film Archive whose collection includes more The list of exclusive titles is than 20,000 feature films. The club also operates a

taking to track down and supply any film available on video that is not in its catalogue. There is no charge for this facility, which again gets round the frustration of making vain searches of video shops.

In contrast to the mainstream video trade, the club is a sale-only operation. Some of the prices (which include post and packing) are as high as £57 and £59, though Mr Jonathan Davis, director of the club, says that if people really want a film they are prepared to pay that much for it. There is no difficulty, for instance, in selling The Third Man at £48. But the bulk of the demand.

not surprisingly, is for titles costing less than £30. Among the most popular are the Faling and Jacques Tati comedies and Continental classics like the Wajda trilogy, Bicycle Thieves and La Belle et la Bete. And it says much for the discernment of club members that the best seller is that fine Marcel Carné-Jacques Prèvert film Les Enfants du Paradis.

P.W. BFI Video Club, PO Box 100, Marlow, Bushimmhan Marlow, Buckinghamshire. Annual membership £7.50 (£15 for non BFI

Why Scotch attracts blank looks

Selling blank video tape is rather like selling petrol - trying to convince the customer that there really is a difference between the various brands. But just as no motorist believes that a gallon of Shell is superior to a gallon of Esso, so the buyer of video tapes is unlikely to notice much difference between 10 or more reputable makes.

Nor has any independent scientific survey been carried out to establish beyond doubt that one tape beats the others on colour, sharpness of image and sound quality. Bewildered by the choice between apparently similar products, the customer can be forgiven for making

price the deciding factor.
Prices of blank tapes have moved steadily downwards. The three-hour VHS cassette, the one most people buy, has come as low as £4 - though tape manufacturers claim a more realistic figure is around £5.50. They argue that on only £4 a retailer has, at best, a tiny margin, and that such loss leading must ultimately be counter productive. So the best advice to the customer may to be expect prices to settle at a point higher than the present minima but meanwhile to make the best of any bargains.

The exception to the rule about brand loyalty is Scotch, which, according to an independent survey, has trebled its market share in the last year and now accounts for 20 per cent of all tapes sold in Britain.

Scotch's position is largely the result of a heavy pro-motional campaign, including television advertising, the introduction of a lifetime guarantee on re-recording and giveaways this summer a book on the Olympics, this autumn a diary. Next in the league table are TDK with 13 per cent, JVC 11 per cent and Sony 10 per cent. The other leading brands are BASF, Thorn-EMI, Agfa, Fuji. Panasonic and Maxell. All, incidentally, come within the definition of reputable.

Another piece of market research suggests that the average level of tape buying is seven cassettes in the first year after acquiring a video recorder and three a year thereafter. If this seems a small number, the explanation is that most people watch a recording once or twice and then use the tape for something else. It is estimated that 60 per cent of recordings are wiped within a week and 88 per cent within a month.



The Times and publishers Jonathan Cape are launching a new £5,000 competition for young writers. The judges, Doris Lessing, Ian McEwan, Peter Stothard (Features Editor of The Times), Liz Calder (editorial director of Jonathan Cape) and Hermione Lee (critic and broadcaster) will be looking for exciting and original work by people under 30, either fiction or non-fiction. The Times intends to publish an extract from the winning entry in June 1985, and Cape will publish the entire work in the spring of 1986. There will also be a competition for young designers and artists to produce a jacket design for the winning book.

The conditions are: 1. The competition is open to anyone, anywhere in the world writing in English provided he or she is able to and agrees to grant The Times exclusive serial rights in the winning entry and Cape exclusive multiple chapters throughly the publishing rights throughout the world in all languages. 2. Entries must be between 50,000

and 120,000 words in length and may be either fiction or non-fiction They must be the original work of the entrant, or joint entrants, and must not include characters whether fictional or otherwise which are taken from any existing copyright work or describe any story, novel or event which forms part of any existing literary, dramatic or artistic

work.
3. £5,000 will be presented to the winner in June 1985 £1,000 will be paid as an outright payment and £4,000 as an advance on account of the rights detailed in clause 1).
4. Entries should be addressed to: Young Writers Competition Jonathan Cape Limited

30 Bedford Square London WC1B 3EL and should arrive no later than 1st April 1985. Scripts should be typed in double line spacing. Unless a suitable stamped addressed packet is enclosed entries will not be returned and Cape cannot accept responsibility for any loss or damage to entries left with them. 5. Entrants must be under 30 on January 1st 1985.

6. Pseudonyms are acceptable but real names must be given when submitting entries and will be treated in confidence. 7. The judges decision is final and

no correspondence will be intered into.

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reserve the right not to award the sufficiently high standard

 The competition is not open to employees of Jonathan Cape or Times newspapers or their relatives.
 The winner will be announced in the week commencing 17th June

11. Additional inquiries to the Publicity Department of Jonathan

GALLERIES

Food for thought in a look at the Lakes

If you think that opera is the only form of "complete art work", you are wrong: the Lake District is another, as demon-strated by the exhibition open-ing at the Victoria and Albert Museum next Wednesday. From its breathtaking scenery to its unique special effects of sun, wind and rain, the lakes are "a cultural entity in them-selves", says John Murdoch, the exhibition organizer. In collaboration with the Dove Cottage Trust (of which Murdoch is a trustee) and with the financial support of the Countryside Commission, the V & A has set out to demonstrate how the Lake District has been a source of human inspiration

Mr Mardoch has not, however, been tempted to evoke his grand concept by means of a grand, V & A-style construction. Exhibitions are expensive if you squander resources building mock-ups of Italian Palaces' he mutters. "Here it would mean a plaster model of the Langdale Pikes. We are going for decent austerity appropriate to the times." The show therefore entails a studious presentation of the many artifacts, whether they be paintings, poetry or photographs. As Murdoch says, These are historical documents, matter for

for more than two centuries.

The Lake District itself was first singled out in the late eighteenth century by a cultural elite who functed it looked like Arcadia. They built houses and follies accordingly, planted wooded parks, and sketched the landscape in the manner of Poussin and Claude.

Openings

FROM THE HARARI COLLECTION:

Two new exhibitions at the British Museum this week. The first is

London's first comprehensive show on German prints for many years. Drawn almost entirely from

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this art form was in Germany at a time of great political upheaval.

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includes powerful works by Munch,
Klinger, Killwitz and Schwitters,
which were all banned as
"degenerate" by the Nazis. The
second exhibition, of pre-modern

Japanese paintings, is a tribute to the late Raiph Hereri. Hokusai is the brightest star represented, as

seen by a set of eight sketches. showing ite along the Sumida.

River. British Museum, Great Russell. Street, London WC1 (636 1556). Opens Thurs, until Jan 6 1985, Mon-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 2.30-

DRAWINGS BY ALLAN RAMSAY:

An exhibition to mark the

the museum's collections, it

THE PRINT IN GERMANY 1880-

1933: JAPANESE PAINTINGS



Natural charm: Part of Ambleside at the head of Lake Windermere, by Francis Towns

ing landscape, and the meddling with nature in order to achieve the required effects. But things really changed for ever with the arrival of the railways in the 1840s. It was the end of exclusivity for the cultural elite.

Wordsworth (based at Dove an eyesore, he points out how cottage). Constable, Turner and Ruskin, all represented in the

Bath (0225 61111). Opens today. Until Oct 13, Mon-Fri 10am-6pm.

Next came the Picturesque show. Highlights include 15 Movement, whose most vociferous spokesman was Words- graphite and wash drawings by worth, raising objections about this schematized way of enjoying landacave and the world-line was the wo

This century, as Mr Murdoch says, few poets and painters have derived inspiration from the Lakes. He thinks instead that the "handreds of people in red anoraks" dotting the hill-sides are a new species of artistexperiencing the complete art work at first hand. When asked Many great painters, poets and thinkers came to the Lake work at first hand. When asked District in the last century: if he considers the relative and how the control of t

were few red or any other brightly coloured blobs to gladden the eye. Far from the excitement of the natural elements, I fear that Murdoch's matter for thought might be rather a dry affair. Sarah Jane Checkland

"The Discovery of the Lake

District" opens at the V & A, South Kensington (589.6371) on Wed. Until Jan 13, Mon-Sat 10am-5.50pm, Sun 2.30-5.30pm.

Selected

blcentenary of Ramsay's death. Son of a celebrated pastoral poet, Ramsay was one of the earliest Scottish painters to be judged on a European scale.

National Gallery of Scotland, The
Mound, Edinburgh (031 556 8921).

Opens today. Until Dec 21, MonSat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm. THE KIMBALL COLLECTION: Includes Sickert's "Jack Ashore" and Whistier's "Black Lion Whari" as well as Miss Kimbali's own works, reputacily bold and Victoria Art Gallery, Bridge Street,

Sat 10am-5om. SIR JOHN LAVERY: Liscious sir JOHN-LAVERY: Liscious portraits, impriors and landscapes in the seawer distinctive style of the Belfast-born attist (1856-1941) who lived and worked in Glasgow, Paris and Modaco. The show was seen at the Edisburgh Festival.

The Fire Art Society: 148 New Bond Street; London W1 (629-5116). Opens Most Until Oct 12. Mon-Fri 9.80-5.30pm, Sat 10am-

THE AGE OF VERMEER AND DE HOOCH The Royal Academy, Piccadilly, London W1 (734 9052). Until Nov 18, daily 10em-6pm Rayishing exhibition of seventeenth-century genre painting from collections all over the world, celebrating a time when Dutch art flourished. A pity some of the rooms are so dark, and that the rope barrier prevents necessary

GLEN BAXTER Royal Festival Hall, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3002). Until Oct 8, daily 10am-10pm a, daily town-ruph:
This show of lithographs by the
inimitable creator of amusing,
surreal images with unexpected
captions attached, has been tended due to popular demand. As it is organized by the respected contemporary art gal ilery Nigel Greenwood Inc (who represen Christopher Lebrun and John Walker) it must be art, but I suspect people are gathering there for a

DANISH PAINTING: THE GOLDEN AGE The National Gallery, Tratalgar Square, London WC2 (839 3321). Until Nov 20, Mon-Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 2-6pm

A new exhibition featuring a school of painting ignored by most of the world until now: Danish painting of the nineteenth century. AUTUMN EXHIBITION The Royal Society of Painter-Etchers and Engravers, Bankside Gallery, 48 Hopton Street, Blackfriars, London SE1 (928 7521). Until Sept 23, Tues-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 2-6pm Work which varies in style from the

twee to the sophisticated, from the generalized to the minute detail of David Wicks, who etches the Bank of England notes. Also on show is a retrospective of work by Edward Bawden.

BETWEEN OURSELVES The ICA, The Mail, London SW1 (930 0483). Until tomorrow, noon-รุงคน Final stop in an Ikon Gallery touring exhibition in which Rose Garrard, uses existing works of art to call attention to her preoccupation with

women and women's roles.

FLOODS OF LIGHT

Photography

Manchester Studies, Manchester Polytechnic, Cavendish House, Cavendish Street, Manchester (061 228 6171). Until Oct 5, Mon-Thurs 10am-5pm, Fri 10am-5pm Ambitious exhibition dealing with flash photography from its beginnings in 1851, when Fox Talbot used the light of an electric spark to photograph a rotating copy of The Times. Many of the more recent images explore not only what would otherwise be invisible to the naked eye but also fragments of life in a way which at times seems artificial and contrived. An important show with work from Brassai, Arbus, Winogrand, Papageorge, Klein and many others.

PRIVATE PROPERTY Hamiltons, 13 Carlos Place, London W1 (499 9493). Opens Mon, until Sept 29, Mon-Fri 9.30am-5.30pm, Sat 10am-5pm A folio for sale from Helmut Newton which-apart from including some of his erotic nudes, also contains fashion and portraiture. Worth seeing even if one can't afford to

EASINGTON: A DURHAM MINING VILLAUE Side Gallery, 9 Side, Newcastle (0632 322208). Opens Wed, until Oct 21, Tues-Fri 11am-6pm, Sat-Sun 11am-5pm VILLAGE A reportage of the life of a mining village by photographer Bruce Rae whose work, while not exceptional,

does have some interesting MENCAP NOW Royal Festival Hall, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3002) Until Oct 3, daily 10am-10pm Nobby Clark explores the daily

lives of the mentally handicapped. The photographs are both sensitive and full of sympathy without becoming voyeuristic as he shows us how the charity Mencap builds loving relationships with those it

MARIO GIACOMELLI Plymouth Arts Centre, 38 Loce Street, Plymouth (0752 660060). Until Sept 29, Mon-Sat 10am-Spm All his life Mario Glacomelli has lived in the small town of Senigalia near Urbino in Italy. He is selftaught and his photographs of people and landscapes have an arresting graphic quality.

ANSEL ADAMS 1902-1984 Henry Cole Wing, Victoria and Albert Museum, South Kensington, London SW7 (589 6371). Until Wed, today and Mon-Wed 10am-5.30pm, Sun 2.30-A short lacuna between major

shows at the V&A has allowed Mark Haworth-Booth to pull together a tribute to Adams from ALFRED STIEGLITZ Stills Gallery, 105 High Street the museum's collection. Adams, who died recently, was one of the Edinburgh (031-557 1140). Last day today, 12.30-6pm Retrospective of work by Stleglitz (1864-1946) which dwells on his pictures of New York at the turn of finest landscape photographers of the century. His work chronicles the grand, sombre beauty of the American terrain in a way that will not easily be surpassed. the century. SNAP, RAZZLE AND POP Upper Gallery, ICA, The Mall, London SW1 (930 0493).

NEW PERSPECTIVES ON THE NUDE: Open Eye Gallery, 90-92 Whitechapel, Liverpool (051 709 9460), Until Sept 22, Mon-Sat 10am-5.30pm

Magic of movement arrested

Richard Demarco has long been fascinated by images that are exclusive to the medium, specifically those that deal with movement. With the help of the French Ministry of Culture, he has organized an exhibition of work by French photographers, "Bouge - Movement in French Photography". First seen at his Edinburgh gallery as part of this year's festival, it is now on show at The Photographers' Gallery in London.

Still photography is about movement arrested and the most successful images are those that are a distillation of what has gone before and what is to come.

Not all the photographs in the exhibition succeed either as works of art or as successful vocations of movement but those that do work are a triumph. Man Ray's dancing point of light from 1939 etches out a sinuous white curve across the photograph's dark emulsion. Triumphs, too, are Alexey Brodovitch's enlargements from 1935 of hallet dancers cavorting about the stage. Brodovitch's technique of hard printing emphasizes the film's grain and eliminates intermediate tones so that strange, graphic shapes emerge to capture our imagin-

Georges Tourdiman attempts to utilize the lessons he learnt while working with Brodovitch in a series of blurred nudes confined within an interior.

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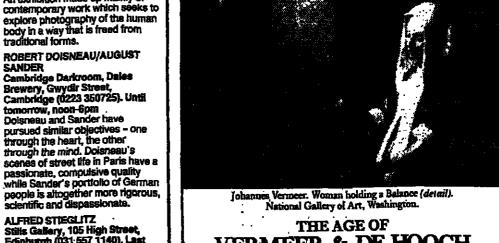
Between before and after: Dancer by Martine Franck

graphers, Martine Franck is leaves a fascinating subject only perhaps the best. But it is partially explored. rurious that her colour prints of a vigorous dancer appear to be more arresting when converted into black and white. Bougé is a modest show

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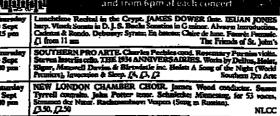
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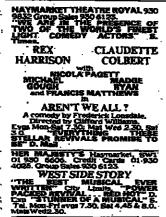
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Subtlety detected in a battle of wits





Polished and precise: Robert Hamer (left) and Alec Guinness with Joan Greenwood in Father Brown, made in 1954

When Robert Hamer died in 1963 at the early age of 52, the British cinema mourned the loss of a film maker of rare talent and sensibility who had been responsible for some of its

most individual works. Hamer was a superb technician who had been a film editor and knew all about rhythm and pace. He was an accomplished screenwriter, with a love for words, and the knack of getting fresh performances out of familiar actors.

More than all that he was unusual among British directors for his breadth of vision. He was able to look beyond the confines of his own cultural tradition, drawing intellectual nourishment from the Continent and particularly France.

His output was uneven and given his talent his achievement should perhaps have been greater. But he was an uncompromising artist, who fitted uneasily into a studio system and was not content to turn out commercial chores, and his work was affected, and his life shortened, by alcoholism.

Films on TV

None of Hamer's 10 features is without interest but his reputation mainly rests on his undisputed masterpiece of black comedy, Kind Hearts and inspired by the stories of G. K. Chesterton's priest/detective, Father Brown.

Because of uncertainty over the literary rights, Father Brown has been little shown in recent years and, like the so long, has acquired the reputation of a lost film. Happily it is lost no longer: it is showing on Channel 4 tomor-

treat not to be missed. Drawing loosely on Chesterton's The Blue Cross, the film depicts the battle of wits - and - between Father Brown, vague manner and razor sharp mind, and the arch villain Flambeau, who is bent on stealing the priceless cross of St Also recomm Augustine as it is being taken Alice Doesn't Live Here Anymore (1975): Ellen Burstyn's Oscar-winning performance as the widow looking for a singing career – and herself – in an odyssey through the American hinterland; directed by

from England to Rome. But the plot matters less than film's style, wit and exuberance. This stems first of all from the script (by Hamer and Thelma Schnee) which is Coroneis; his excursion into film writing of the highest social realism. It Always Rains quality: hiterate, polished, on Sunday, and his 1954 film, epigrammatic, ironic, And it is backed by a precise choice of images. Hamer was never a showy director but nor was he merely an illustrator of fine

Father Brown is played by Alec Guinness, a performance Hitchcocks which vanished for of delicious subtlety that ranks with anything he has done on the screen, not forgetting his virtuoso display for Hamer in Kind Hearts where he took on row (10.15-11.50pm) and it is a eight characters. Flambeau is portrayed with nicely under-stated charm by Peter Finch.

In support are such stalwarts of British film comedy as Joan Greenwood and Cecil Parker. the Catholic priest with the and even the smallest part is fashioned with care and skill.

Peter Waymark of the Hollywood "Ten" (Channel 4, Thurs, 5.25-7pm).

Programme choice

THE TRIPODS: New 13-part science fiction adventure, principally aimed at the younger audience. It is set in the next audistice. It is set in the next century when people are back to living in small country villages and the only means of transport and power is the horse, Jim Baker and John Shackley play teenage cousins battling to save the earth from alien control. BBC1, today, 5.15-5.40pm,

COLIN DAVIS: Profile of the conductor which is aptly sub-titled "a private public man" for Davis is very much a figure who expresses himself through his work and otherwise prefers to keep out of the limelight. The film reflects his busy international career, capturing him in rehearsal at Covent Garden (where he is nearing the end of a 15-vear stint as music director of the Royal Opera), Cleveland and Munich as well as quieter moments relaxing with his family. BBC2, today, 8.15-9.15pm.

LADYBIRDS: Second series of one-woman shows providing musical profiles of leading female entertainers from both sides of the Atlantic: they are shown on and off stage and interviewed about their stage and interviewed about their life and work. The first programme is devoted to Rita Coolidge, who started singing in a church choir at the age of two and has never looked back.

Channel 4, today, 8.15-9pm.

RIVER JOURNEYS: The Congo river (now the Zaire) has exercised an extraordinary fascination on writers, from Joseph Conrad who used it as a setting for Heart of Darkness - to André Gide and Graham Greene. Following in their wake is the historian, Michael Wood, who makes a 1,300 mile trip along the river by ferry, cargo boat and converted whater in the first of six programmes featuring different rivers and different guides. BBC2, tomorrow, 7.15-8.20pm.

THE QUEST FOR REGINALD GOODALL: Another conductor profile, this time of the remarkable Reginald Goodall, still hard at work at the age of 83. He was virtually unknown outside the opera world until his production of The Mastersingers at Sadler's Wells in 1968, since when he has produced an outstanding Ring and been acclaimed as one of the world's greatest living interpreters of Wagner. He is shown in Omnibus rehearsing The Valkyrie with the Welsh National Opera and there

are contributions from Joan Cross

Sir Geraint Evans, Lord Harewood

and Sir John Tooley. BBC1, tomorrow, 10.35-11.35pm.

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ROYAL OPERA HOUSE

BOOKMARK: The monthly books programme returns under a new presenter, the biographer and criti-lan Hamilton. In the first programme Martin Amis talks to Germaine Greer about his latest novel, Maney, a Suicide Note, and Janet Morgan, biographer of Agatha Christle, explores the mind of the detective novelist whose sales have been surpassed only by the Bible and Shakespeare. There is also an item on T. S. Eliot and the writing of *The Waste Land*.

BBC 2, Wed, 8.10-9pm.

SATYAGRAHA: Stuttgart Opera production of Philip Glass's opera about the early life of Gandhi gives British audiences a first taste of the American composer's operatic work and anticipates the staging of his Akhnaten next year by the English National Opera. Channel 4, Wed, 9pm-12.10am. LIFE OF AN ORCHESTRA: Yet another musical documentary, a series of films going behind the scenes with the London Symphony Orchestra, which celebrates its eightleth birthday this year. In the first programme, *The Band*, principals and rank and file members talk about their profession and reflect on its stresses and uncertainties BBC2, Thurs, 9.25-10.15pm. ALMONDS AND RAISINS: The

award-winning documentary by Russ Karel on the extraordinar flowering of the Yiddish cinema during the 1930s. In the 13 years after The Jazz Singer launched the talkie revolution, more than 300 films were made by and for the American Jewish community, reflecting their hopes and fears and providing diversion from their often Channel 4, 9.30-11.10pm.



Showgirl: Rita Coolidge, on Channel 4 tonight

CONCERTS

Glittering prizes for pianists

International Piano Competition are at present the subject of some controversy. The highly competitive atmosphere has been criticized by both participants and audiences as being of dubious value and somewhát irrelevant to music in

general.
Would be participants even have to compete to enter the competition, held every three years. This year 101 pianists have been selected to face the 15 members of the jury, who are mainly pianists and piano teachers of international repute. Nearly all this year's entrants have already won competitions But despite the reservations

about the nature of the event the incentive to take part at Leeds is great. There are, after all, many prizes to be had. The winner receives the Edward Boyle Prize

SCHOENBERG'S BRAHMS

orchestration of Brahms's G minor

Plano Quartet is played by the City

Equally substantial fare is provided

by Sibelius's Symphony No 5. The programme starts with Berlioz's Beatrice and Benedict Overture.

Today, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall, 36 Wigmore Street, London W1

(935 2141) Malcolm Binns kicks off the

Wigmore Mendelssohn/Italian series with a host of Romanze

senza Parole and the splendid Fantasy Op 28. There follow the

Barcarolle and Sonata Op 35 of

Tomorrow, 3pm, Riverside Studios, Crisp Road, London WS

The Electro-Acoustic Music

Association presents Marilyπ DeReggi, described by *The*

Washington Post as having a

soprano voice of "almost shocking

strength". She gives the London premiere of Barker's Six-Daies

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MARILYN DeREGGI

Today, 7.30pm, Derngate, Guildhall Road, Northempton

of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra under Simon Rattle.

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Two who triumphed: Murray Perahia (left) and Radu Lupu

of engagements including a recital at the Queen Elizabeth Hall in London on November 29. And success often brings greater rewards in its wake: previous winners of the first prize who have gone on to distinguished careers include Radu Lupu and Murray Pera-The second prize is £2,000,

the third £1,200. There are also prizes for those who reach the

McDermott's Dark Laments

Penetrations VII.-

MUSICA VIVA

Moss's Night Harbour, Smith's Household Words and Lanza's

Tomorrow, 8pm, Glasgow
University Concert Hall, University
Avenue, Glasgow (041 332 7244)
Glasgow's exceptional Musica Viva
series begins with a recital by Jane

Marining, soprano, and Alexander Bailtie, cello, which includes

Casken's la Orana Gaugin, Norgaard's Ode to Plutonium and

Elliott Carter's Cello Sonata.

over Fame and Norgaard's

American planist Ursula Oppens solos in Eliott Carter's Plano

Tues, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall Marianne Ehrhardt, flute, with

an interesting programme with

Jolivet's Chant de Linos, Christóbal

Haiffter's Debia, a divertimento by

Françaix and pleces by Bach and

Mon. 7.30pm, Scottish National

Mont, 7.30pm, Scottash National Orchestra Centre, 73 Claremont Street, Glasgow (041 332 7244) Musica Viva continues with the world premieres of Casken's Orion

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of £3,500, the Princess Mary second stage, and the semi-final Gold Medal and a large number stage, and a special chamber music prize for the outstanding performer in the violin and Diano sonata section. The competition began last Monday in Leeds University Great Hall with each competitor

playing a programme made up from prescribed lists including sonatas by Haydn, Mozart and Beethoven, and pieces by Chopin, At that point all but 20 were eliminated; the survivors continue to stage two, which

ter's After Ophelia is only

one of the unfamiliar modern cello

the others being Crosse's Wave Songs, Ketala's Abstract No 3,

Grange's Nocturnal Image, Norgaard's Solo Intimo, Field's

Wed, 7.30pm, Purcell Room Belvedere Road, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3191, credit

cards 928 8800) Jennifer Bowring's plano recital

includes her improvisation of Beata Progenies, a fifteenth-century

theme. This is surrounded by sonatas by Haydn, Scarlath, pleces from Albeniz's *liberta* and

Thurs, 7.30pm, British Music Information Centre, 10 Stratford

Place, London W1 (499 8567) Besides the world premieres of

piano sonatas by Timothy Seddon and Robert Matthew Walker, Roger Steptoe plays Preludes from York Bowen's Op 102, Vaughan Williams's Lake in the Mountains, a

Triptych by Bliss and five pieces by

Delius. Admission free.

Haydn's F minor Variations.

ROGER STEPTOE

Sonata and Carpenter's Sonatina.

pieces offered by Alexander Baillie

AFTER OPHELIA

Wed, 11,30am, Glasgow University Concert Half

BEATA PROGENIES

starts this morning. This is where it begins to get interesting. Competitors perform works from two prescribed lists, one of classical and romantic pieces, the other of twentieth-century items by Webern, Falla, Copland, Rachmaninov, Bartók, Tippett and Stravinsky – a wellmixed choice. Ten go on to the semi-final in Leeds Town Hall.

Martin Scorsese (BBC 2, today

A Bridge Too Far (1977): Richard Attenborough's blockbuster on the battle of Arnhem tends to under

use its many stars, but the integrity

of the enterprise is impeccable and there are memorable moments (all ITV regions, today, 10.15pm-

The Dam Busters (1954): Decent,

likable British Second World War

Redgrave's sensitive performance as the scientist, Barnes Wallis,

inventor of the famous bouncing

bomb (BBC 1, tomorrow, 2.15-

Blockade (1938): Of historical

interest as one of Hollywood's first forays into International politics, with Henry Fonda and Madeleine Carroll as lovers on opposite sides during the Spanish Civil War; script by John Howard Lawson, later one of the Hollywood "Ten" (Channel &

heroics, lifted by Michael

Here each competitor has to play a 45-minute programme of their own choice and, in company with Erich Gruenberg, the piano part of a violin sonata by either Mozart, Beethoven, Brahms or Franck. Only six go through to the final, in which a concerto by Beethoven, Men-delssohn, Schumann, Chopin, Brahms or Rachmaninov has to be performed with the BBC Philharmonic Orchestra under Vernon Handley. Then the jury makes its verdict.

The BBC will record parts of the competition for transmission later on Radio 3, and the two final orchestral concerts will be shown live on BBC2 on Friday at 6.55pm and Saturday at 10pm.

Max Harrison

PLATEAUX POUR DEUX Thurs, 9.30pm, Scottish National Orchestra Centre, Glasgow

The Elsinore Ensemble offers Pelle Gudinundsen-Holmgreen's Plateaux pour Deux, Karl-Aage Rasmussen's Fugue, Poul Ruders's Vox in Rama, Ole Buck's Preludes and Norgaard's Returns FRANK WIBAUT

Fri, 7.30pm, Wigmore Hall Frank Wibaut plays the Plano Sonata No 1 of Willem Pipper, a composer too little heard here. To it he adds Mussorgsky's Pictures at an Exhibition, some Rachmaninov preludes, and some Liszt. GARDEN PATH

GARDEN TAITH Fri, 7.30pm, University Chapel, University Avenue, Glasgow (041 332 7244) The Elsinore Ensemble plays Ib Norhohn's Garden with Path which Divides, Karl-Aage Rasmussen's Italian Concerto and Pianissimo Furloso, Ole Buck's Aquarelles and Poul Ruders's Differencias.

ASIF... Fri, 9.30pm, Glasgow University Concert Hall Stephen Arnold, Richard Butler and members of Lontano give the British premieres of Lansky's As #..., Morrill's Tarr and Casken's

Piper's Linn.

Andrei Serban's spectacular and illuminating new production of Turandot is still very much the main attraction in London, with three more performances left. Tonight at 7.30pm, Ghena Dimitrova takes over in the title role and Ernesto

Veronelli continues as Calaf. Sir Colin Davis conducts. On Wed John Barker is in the pit again while Sir Colin rehearses the forthcoming Tannhauser, and Gwyneth Jones returns as Turandot. The show is self-out, of course, but 65 seats, and at least 40 standing passes, are available from 10am on the day. On Tues and Sept 22 (8pm) Tosca returns to the repertoire, with Mara Zampieri outstanding

ENGLISH NATIONAL OPERA Coliseum, St Martin's Lane, London WC2 (836 3151) lanaček's rarè early opera Osud(Fate), is currently to be seen for the first time on stage in England in a new and powerful translation. In David Pountney's production, past and present revolve in a tense, semi-autobiographical psychological drama. Unusually psychological drama. Unusually compelling both musically and as theatre, it is complemented in a double-bill on Fri by the Brecht-Weill Mahagonny Songs: Mark Elder conducts the Janaček, Lionel

bounces back as the Barber of Seville and on Thurs and Sept 22 Neil Howlett gives a fine performance in David Pountney's revival of The Flying Dutchman. SCOTTISH OPERA Theatre Royal, Glasgow (041 331

Friend the Weill. Meanwhile tonight and Wed Alan Opie

Sir Alexander Gibson conducts the company's revival of Fidelio with a cast led by Kathryn Harries and John Tremleaven (tonight, Tues, Thurs at 7.30pm). On Wed (7.30pm) and Sept 22 (2.15pm) Rigoletto comes back into the repertoire in a

lively production by David Alder **WELSH NATIONAL OPERA** New Theatre, John Street, Cardill (0222 489977) The company's last week for the

time being in Cardiff before taking off on tour features four varied and lively productions. Tonight The Merry Widow in which Busby Berkeley joins hands with Lehar at Maxim's; on Wed and Sept 22 Verdi's Ernani in a powerful veror's Ernani in a powerful production by Blijah Moshinsky; on Thurs La Bohéme with Anne Williams-King as Mirni and Arthur Davies as Rodolfo; and on Fri Martinu's Greek Passion, in Michael Geliot's warm-hearted production. All performances start

DANCE

NORTHERN BALLET Sadier's Wells (278 8916). Until Sept 22, Mon-Sat at 7.30pm, nées Sat at 2.30pm. Two more performances of The Sleeping Beauty today, with Daniela Buson and Marcello Angelini in the leads this afternoon, Yoko Shimizu and Vladimir Derevianko tonight. Mon - Wed brings the British premiere of Fu. by the Chinese choreographer
Chiang Ching, with the London
premiere of André Prokovsky's
Brahms Love Songs and Robert de Warren's Romeo and Juliet - Tragic Memories. Also new to London is Rosemary Helliwell's Alice in Wonderland, to be given Thurs -Sat on a double bill with Les **BALLET POUR DEMAIN**

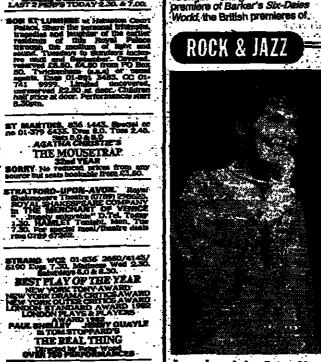
The Place, 17 Dukes Road, Euston, London WC1 (387 0031). Thurs to Sept 22 at 8pm Prizewinners from an international choreographic competition at Bagnolet, north Paris, are giving one performance each in London. Christine Burgos and her company share a bill with Claude Brumachon, Thurs. Mark Tompkins and the Compagnie ies

Productions Limm appear Fn, and Catherine Diverres and Bernardo Montet, who won the first prize, in Le Rêve d'Helen Keller on Sept 22. LONDON CONTEMPORARY Derngate Theatre, Northampton (0604 24811). Wed to Sept 22 at

London Contemporary Dance Theatre start their autumn tour with two premieres. One by Robert two premieres. One by Nobert Cohan is given Wed, Thurs together with Siobhan Davies's Carnival and Tom Jobe's Run like Thunder. Jobe's new work follows Fri with Cohan's Agora and Davies's New Galileo.

SADLER'S WELLS ROYAL BALLET Cambridge, The Big Top on Jesus Green (advance booking at Central Library, 0223 357851). Until Sept 22, Mon-Sat at 7.30pm, matiness Wed and Sat at 2.30pm. Two performances of La Fille mal gardee today, then an all-Ashton programme (Mon-Wed) of Les Rendezvous, The Dream and *Facade* to mark his eightieth birthday, which falls on Mon. The season ends with four performances (Thurs-Sept 22) of

ROCK & JAZZ



IRON MAIDEN Tonight, City Hail, Newcastle (9632 320007) Generally reckoned to be the best of the heavy metal breed, East End boys fron Maiden promise a night

of high spirited maybem with guitars cranked up to full volume and all the best bits from their LENA HORNE

Tonight and Tues-Sun, Adelphi Theatre, The Strand, London WC2 (836 7611) Best known for "Stormy Weather" the legendary lady provides an evening of her kind of music, interspersed with anecdote and reminiscence; striking presence combined with a strong, seductive

DESMOND DEICKER, ALAN PRICE, ACKER BILK Today, Jubilee Gardens, South Bank, London SE1 (633 1707) GLC Thamesday's annual outing includes something for everyone metary lady: Lena Horne, but mostly for the old folks. After at London's Adelphi Theatre ... Price and Dekker have done their

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pleces on the main stage, drift over to another and catch bluesman Johnny Mars. Not exactly riveting but at least it's free.

BOBBY WOMACK Sun, Apollo, Manchester (061 273 1112); Mon, Playhouse, Edinburgh (031 557 2590); Wed, Apollo, Oxford (0865 44544); Thurs, Odeon, Birmingham (021 643 6107); Fri-Sun, Hammersmith Odeon, Queen Caroline Street, London W8 (748 4081) Soul and rhythm'n'blues veteran, of the Illustrious Wornack family, brings his gravelly Poet 1 & 2 club set to Britain and very welcome it is too. Sly Stone, an equally legendary voice and influence on all things lunk is the guest star.

THE CRUSADERS Sun, Colston Hell, Bristol (0272 291768); Mon, Apollo, Oxford; Wed and Thurs, Hammerstaith Odeon, London There was a time when The Crusaders were at the forefront of the downhouse Texan iszz-funk

style, but the years have found

their mellow approach turn to easy listening schmaltz. New drummer Ndugu "Thriller" Chancler may inject some of that old Houston class but these days they blow more cold than hot. I'd love to be proved wrong.

ECHO AND THE BUNNYMEN Mon, De Montford Hail, Leicester (0533 27632); Tues, Rock City, Nottingham (0502 412544); Thurs, Brighton Centre, Brighton (0273 202881) Liverpool's finest rock group, the

Burnymen celebrate five years together on what may be their last major tour. Look forward to the moody romances and grandlose melodies of their Ocean Rain album and hope for some of singer lan McCutloch's pithy witticisms almed at the Bunnymen's lesser peers.

FRANK SINATRA/BUDDY RICH ORCHESTRA Mon to Sat, Royal Albert Hall, Kansington Gore, London SW7 (589 8212) Of Blue Eyes is back again with a new album, LA is My Lady

produced by Quincy Jones, under his belt and a video that features members of Van Halen and Michael Jackson! Bound to be sold out unless you've got £192 for a seat in the box. Don't forget to rattle your jewelry. LLOYD COLE AND THE

COMMOTIONS Mon, Coasters, Edinburgh (031 2283252); Tues, Pavillon, Ayr (0292 265489); Wed, Mayfair, Newcastle (0532 323109); Fri, Hacienda, Manchester (061 2365051)

Lloyd Cole's engaging pop draws some substance from 1960s folk heroes like Dylan and Lou Reed although his hit singles "Perfect Skin" and "Forest Fire" reveal an original talent in the making. This is Cole's first major tour and presages the release of the Commotions' album Rettlesnake.

Opera: Hilary Finch; Dance: John Percival: Rock & Jazz Max Bell



and legendary man: Frank Sinatra at the Albert Hall

TIME AND THE CONWAYS: The J.B. Priestley Saturday Night Theatre season continues with a production of his famous "time" play. It opens in 1919, with the Conway family celebrating a birthday and the end of the war; moves forward to 1938 to find that their dragges have disappeared. their dreams have disappeared; and returns, in the final act, to the happier scenes of 1919. Zena Walker heads the cast. Radio 4, today, 8.30-10pm. STARS AND BARS: William Boyd's

new novel is being read as the



Coping: Captain Mark Phillips talks about the estate (Radio)

Book at Bedtime in the week of its publication. It is the story of a 40year-old English art dealer who moves to America in the hope of losing his shyness and unwittingly embarks on a comic nightmare. The reader is Kerry Shale. Radio 4, Mon. 10.15-10.30pm and at the same time throughout the

ON COURSE FOR COLLEGE: Brian Redhead presents an 80-minute phone in aimed at those trying to decide on their choice of university, college or polytechnic. Experts in the studio will offer advice on the available courses, how they are organized and which are the most appropriate for the various professions. The programme should also be of interest to youngsters still to take A levels. Radio 4, Thurs, 7.40-9pm.

ROYAL ESTATE: Captain Mark Phillips plays host to Gloria Hunniford at his home, Gatcombe Park in Gloucestershire. In a rare interview he talks about the estate, which he manages nimself, and the horse trials taking place there the next day. Ms Hunniford will also chat to the estate's stable hands and take a lesson on how to drive a Land-Rover from the former world motor racing champion, Jackie Stewart. Radio 2, Fri, 2-4pm.

Auctions

GEM OF A SALE: Designs from Georgian, Victorian, Edwardian, art nouveau, and deco and later times are represented in a sale of fine is, with estimates from £500 to more than £20,000. A glittering French diamond necklace steals the show, but several art deco pieces, top of current fashion, could make five figures.
Phillips, Blenheim Street, London W1 (629 6602), Viewing Mon 9am. 4pm, Tues 9-11.30am. Sale Tues

TREASURES OF TRAVEL: Three volumes of the South Polar Times, containing exact reproductions of



Capital losses: Firestone building and Euston Arch, both demolished, but subjects of a lecture series (Other events) trying to break Frank Buckle's

the journals produced in the Antarctic by members of Captain Scott's expeditions of 1902-12, are included in a sale of travel books, attases and maps. Another rare item is a contemporary manuscript copy of letters and eyewitness accounts of the expedition from Mexico into northern California in 1769-70 and estimated at £20.000-

Sotheby's, 34/35 New Bond Street, London W1(493 8080). Thurs 11am and 2.30pm, Fri 10.30am. LINES FROM THE PAST: An Elizabeth I letter from Hampton Court is estimated at £6,000 in a sale of books, maps, autograph letters and historical documents. Philips, Blenheim Street, London W1 (629 6602). Viewing Mon, Tues, Wed 9am-4.30pm: Sale Thurs .11am and 2pm.

Sport

THE SILK CUT CHALLENGE: Single wicket competition in which five of cricket's leading all rounders compete for prize money of \$25,000. They are England's lan Botham, Richard Hadlee (New Zealand), who has just completed the first "double" since 1967, Kapil Dev (India), Malcolm Marshall (West Indies) and Clive Rice (South Africa). Each of the five players receives four overs from each of the other four and points are awarded for runs scored and wickets taken. Television coverage from the County Ground, Taunton, starts on ITV today at 11,25am with the climax on Channel 4.

ST LEGER: Lester Piggott will be

record of 27 classic victories whe he rides Comanche Run, trained by the Italian Luca Cumani, at Doncaster this afternoon. Piggott is WINDSOR FESTIVAL: The fine also looking for his eighth win in the St Leger. But a strong challenge could come from the Aga Khan's Bay Noun, ridden by the season's leading jockey, Steve Cauthen. The race starts at 3.30pm and is on ITV.

EUROPEAN FOOTBALL: The three European competitions get under way on Wed, with the European way on wad, with the European
Cup holders Liverpool starting the
defence of their fittle against Lech
Poznan of Poland, and Tottenham
Hotspur, the UEFA Cup
champions, in Portugal to play Sporting Braga. Highlights from some of the matches are on Midweek Sports Special, ITV,

THEATRE

Festivals

buildings of Eton and Windsor oper their doors to the public today for a formight of music, poetry and lectures. Tomorrow, there is a poetry reading in Farrer Theatre, Eton College (3pm) and a concert performance of Mozant's Cost Fan Tutte in Theatre Royal, Windsor (8pm), Highlights to follow include Richard Hickox conducting the City of London Sinfonia in the Waterloo Chamber of Windsor Castle (Fri, 8pm), a performance of Elgar's The Kingdom in Eton College Chapel (Sept 22, 7,30pm) and Geoffrey de Bellaigue's lecture on Sevres porcelain in the Royal Collection to be given in Chapter Library, Windsor Castle (Sept 23, 3pm).

Festival Box Office, 2 Victoria

THE CANTERBURY FESTIVAL:

Kent has a new major arts festival. The choice of music, ballet, theatre and visual arts are to follow the overall theme of one European country each year. England is the theme for the first year. Events begin on Sept 23 with the Festival Service in the Cathedral where there will be a trumpet and drum charter where fantare, choral music and the Archbishop of Cantarbury will preach the sermon (3.15pm). Kent Opera Orchestra plays works by Tippett, Britten and Schubert, with soloist Jill Gomez, at the Marlowe Theatre (Sept 23, 7pm). During the week there is a performance of Purcell's King Arthur at Shirley Hall (Sept 24, 8pm); talks by Sir Michael Tippett (Sept 25, 5pm) and Sir Peter Pears (Sept 26, 5pm) in The Old Synagogue and a concert by the Medici String Quartet in the Gulbenklari Theatre (Sept 26, 7.30pm), in the Markowe Theatre, Ballet Rambert dances English ballets (Oct 2-5) and the National ballets (Oct 2-b) and the National Theatre stages Goldsmith's She Stoops to Conquer (Oct 9-13). The National Art Collections Fund mounts an exhibition of Treasures from Kent Houses in Royal Museum (Mon-Sat, 10am-5pm). Festival Box Office, 37 Palace Street, Canterbury, Kent (0227 55600), Until Oct 13.

Other events

LINCOLN TO BOSTON MARATHON: The world's longest rowing race, covering the 31 miles between the Lincolnshire town of Lincoln and Boston, takes place on the River Witham on Sunday, sponsored by FSO Cars. Last year nearly 150 craws and 700 carsmen and carswomen took part and an even bigger entry is expected this year. The record for the course was set in 1978 by a crew from Leander, with a time of three hours, one and a half minutes. The boats leave Lincoln at one-minute

intervals, starting at 9.30am, and there are many vantage points.

GREAT AUTUMN SHOW: Colour and variety are the keynoles of the Royal Horticultural Society's annual show which, despite the lack of rain in some areas. promises to be even larger than iast year. And the prolonged summery weather makes possible displays of true summer plants. New and Old Horticultural Hells, Westminster, London SW1. Tues, 11am-8pm, £1.80; Wed 10am-8pm, £1.50; Thurs 10am-5pm, £1.20,

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BUILDINGS OF LONDON: Series of lectures on famous London buildings erected or demolished over the last Six decades. The subjects include Croydon Airport, the Royal Festival Hall, the National Thestre, and, on the demolition side, Euston Arch, Denham film studios and the Firestone building. The lectures are held each Wed and Fri at 1.10pm, starting on Wed 9 with a talk about Devons House, Piccadilly. Museum of London, London Wall, London EC2 (600 3699). Free.



Hoping: Lester Piggott goes for a record (Sport)

FILMS

Shooting of wolves in the wilds of Shepperton

"Danger: Wolves on Set" read a sign outside the main Shepperton sound stage during production of Neil Jordan's new film. Within, men would stand by with tranquillizers, loaded shot-gans and nets, in case the four-legged actors put a foot - or more probably a set of teeth -

"Wolves", the director said, with a look of someone who knows, "are extremely difficult to work with". But they were unavoidable in a film called The Company of Wolves, expanded. from Angela Carter's brief story about a young girl's intimations of sexual maturity. The cast also includes snakes, toads, tarantulas, frogs; and, among the mere mortals, Angela Lansbury in quaint bonnet and to the Little Red Riding Hood of Sarah Patterson, aged 13.

When British films use wolves, we generally find a supporting company of garlic. Peter Cushing, pin-up wenches, and the late George Woodbridge, muttering warnings in a Transylvanian hostelry. But Jordan is hardly the man to settle for the shallow effects of Hammer horrors: as a novelist and film director, born and bred in Ireland, he shows a special flair for ripping off life's surface layer to reveal deeply rooted fantasies and fears.

Angel (1982), his first film, invested contemporary Irish troubles with the emotional anguish and visual panache of a Hollywood film noire; his novel The Dream of a Beast (1983) takes place in a Dublin transformed and enlarged into a monstrous uightmare landscape. Angela Carter shares a similar taste for the irrational lurking within the mundane, and the dense detail of Gothic fantasy.

Getting such fantasy on to the screen puts special demands on money, skill and enthusiasm. Jordan worked with a £2m budget, the imaginative support of Palace Productions (a new off-shoot of the lively distribution company), and special effects expert Chris Tucker (veteran of *The Elephant Man*).

At first there were plans to shoot the extensive forest scenes on location; but designer Anton Furst finally created the setting indoors, choking Shepperton with gnarled trees, and images owing more allegiance to Gus-





Screen debut for Sarah Patterson, 13, (top) and a wolf co-star

Studio work, Jordan told one a British film pursuing a interviewer, "allows you to stylistic path so single-mindedly determine how every bit of the especially a path crossed by frame will look". The film, indeed, is

crammed with artifice that the The Company of Wolves (18) opens spectator might pant for the in London on Fri at the Odeon,

wolves.

designs of most British cinema. landscapes. But it is rare to find

Geoff Brown

The information in this column was correct at

Openings

STREETS OF FIRE (PG): Streets of neon, smoke and very loud music, too. A rock and roll extravaganza devised by director Walter Hill and others involved in the hit thriller 48 HRS; with Diana Lane as a kidnapped singer and Michael Parè as her Galahad. From Fri at the Empire (437 1234).

Selected

THIS IS SPINAL TAP (15) Electric Screen (229 3694), Classic Oxford Street (636 0310), Classic Chelsea (352 5986) Delicious parody of rock documentaries, charting the disastrous American tour of a veteran British band. Director Rob Reiner and his fellow actor-writers hit their targets with wicked

UNFAITHFULLY YOURS (15) Studio Oxford Street (437 3300), Classic Haymarket (839 1527), Classic Chelsea (352 5986) Harmless remake of Preston Sturges's 1948 classic about a jealous conductor played with a nice sense of slapstick by Dudley Moore. Nastassja Kinski flounders as the wife accused of infidelity, bu enough about comedy to pull the film through.

PARIS, TEXAS (15) Lumiere (836 0691), Gate Notting Hill (221 0220), Screen on the Hill

Few current films contain as much emotional resonance and visual beauty as Wim Wenders's intimate American epic about a man's search for his own identity and family. Wenders's camerá revels in bizarre details of landscape, but the film's real strength comes from its treatment of human

BROADWAY DANNY ROSE (PG) Screen on the Green (226 3520), Gate Bloomsbury (837 1177/8402) Classic Haymarket (839 1527), Classic Oxford Street (636 0310), Odeon Kensington (602 6644) Woody Allen stars as Danny Rose a great Broadway manager of failures, comically entangled with Mafia hit men and the zany airlinend of his number one client a roly-poly balladeer. Impeccably directed and photographed (In black-and-white).

ROMANCING THE STONE (PG) Odeon Marble Arch (262 8949) Spielberg protégé Robert Zemeckis follows the master's Raiders-style in this spirited, witty tale of a romantic novelist experiencing adventures beyond her imagination among the jungles and mercenaries of Colombia LONELY HEARTS (15)

Academy One (437 2981) Delicately eccentric Austral comedy from the unique Paul Cox; a quirky portrait of kneliness with Norman Kay as the middle-aged bachelor attempting love with a shrinking violet (Wendy Hughes).

the time of going to press. Late changes are often made and it is advisable to check, using the telephone numbers given.

Funny taste of a farceur's own medicine

What Mel Smith, director of Bamber Gascoigne's farce Blg in Brazil, would really like is to play in it rather than see it from the director's chair.

That is not to say that he is unhappy with his role. The offer came out of the blue from the producer. It is a tremendous opportunity and the farce has a wonderful script", he says.

Smith, best known as one of the team in the BBC television series Not the Nine O'Clock News, last directed what he calls "a real play" about five years ago. Since then he has been concentrating on films and television while directing the Not team in their live show and his colleague Rowan Atkinson in a one man show.

Big in Brazil, reworked by Gascoigne from an earlier ~ and unsuccessful - farce opens at the Old Vic for a six-week season and is likely to move on to the West End if it is

Timothy West and his wife Prunella Scales star with Rodney Bewes in a typically unlikely plot in which an amateur impresario from Yorkshire (West) decides to put on a play in Manaos, a town 1000 miles up the Amazon, presenting an actress on whom he has designs (Scales). To be sure of getting an audience he announces that the actress is the famous beauty Mrs Patrick Campbell and that the play is by Fevdeau. Unfortunately Feydeau himself (Bewes) turns up and confusion sets in. Mel Smith insists that the plot and

ridiculous as they might seem. "It is a very neatly conceived series of events." He believes that farce is very much an actor's medium and he clearly envies them in Big in Brazil. "Directing, it is irresistible to demonstrate how you think it should be done, but all you can do is to assist the actors. They have to do it. The main role of the director in farce is overcoming the technical problems and

its coincidences are not as to serve the deadly logic of the plot". He is taking the business

of farce very seriously.

For Bamber Gascoigne, who has kept busy as a writer while remaining in the public eye in his role as quizmaster in University Challenge, Big in Brazil marks a return to the West End theatre for the first time since his hit revue Share My Lettuce, starring Maggie Smith and Kenneth Williams, in the 1950s.

The revue ran for more than 300 performances. It is no more outrageous than the plot in Big in Brazil to suggest that the farce could be similarly success-

Christopher Warman Big in Brazil, Old Vic (928 7616), Mon until Oct 27. Previews Mon and Tues at 7.30pm. Opens Wed at 7nm. Then Mon-Fri at 7.30 pm. Sat

4pm and 7.45pm; matinees Wed at

In preview

STEPPING OUT: Julia McKenzie directs a new comedy by Richard Harris about a former professional dancer and her weekly tap-dancing class. Barbara Ferris, Diana Langton, Marcie Warren and Gabrielle Lloyd. Duke of York, St Martin's Lane, London WC2 (836 5122). Previews from Tues, Mon-Fri at 8pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.30pm, matines Thurs at 3pm. Opens Sept 25 at 7pm and

Openings

ABODE OF PEACE: Premiers production of the latest play by Ruth Jhabvala, highly regarded novelist and screenwriter, whose last play in this country was A Call from the East, in 1975. The last days of Clare, an expatriate and elderly English woman in India, who has spent 25 years establishing a village for destitute Asian women. Now she is dying, and is visited by her niece and some less sympathetic visitors,

directs. Questors Theatre, Mattock Lane, London W5 (567 5184). Today. Sun, Wed - Sept 22 only at 7.45pm.

Indian and Western. Peter Field

BETTER TIMES: Devised by the cast and director (William Gaskill) after three weeks of research and interviewing in East London, this is the story of the 1921 rate revolt by the Labour council of Poplar. Thirty councillors went to prison as a result, but after six weeks they won concessions from the government.
The supposed parallel with today's rate-capping legislation is underlined in the publicity for the show. Cast includes Gillian Barge, Marty Cruickshank, David Fielder, man MacDonald, Stephen

Tiller. Half Moon, 213 Mile End Road, London E1 (790 4000). Opens Tues at 8pm, Mon-Sat at 8pm except Press Night Sept 24 at 7pm. THE BOY FRIEND: Author Sandy Wilson has supervised this thirtieth anniversary production of his 1920s pastiche musical, which had a successful run at the Old Vic and now transfers to the West End.

Anna Quayle, Derek Waring, Peter Bayliss and Paddie O'Nell, Jane Wellman, Simon Green, Linda-Mae Brewer and Bob Newent feature. Christopher Hewett directs; choreography is by Dan Siretta. Albery Theatre, St Martin's Lane, London WC2 (835 3878). Opens Thurs at 8pm. Mon-Fri at 8pm, Sat at 5pm and 8, 15pm; matiness (from Sept 27) Thurs at 3pm. LOOT: Joe Orton's black comedy,

directed by Jonathan Lynn, return to the West End in the Theatre of medy Company production as seen at the Ambassadors Theatre earlier this year. David John as Dennis is the only newcomer to a cast including Leonard Rossiter, mma Craven, Patrick O'Connell Nell Pearson. Lyric Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue,

W1 (437 3686). Opens Wed at 8pm. Then Mon-Fri at 8pm, Sat at 5.30pm and 8.30pm; matinees Thurs at 3pm.

PICK OF THE FRINGE Nine shows from the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, each performing for one week, in one of three show slots each night (only two in a fourth week now added). Donmar Warehouse, Eartham Street, London WC2 (379 6565). Opens Mon at 7pm (Still Life), 9pm (Brass Band) and 11pm (Faschating Aida) Tues-Sat at the same times. New chows from Sept

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GLENGARRY GLEN ROSS Cottesioe (928 2252). Today at 2.30pm and 7.30pm, Mon-Thurs at Opm. In repertory David Marnet's menacing account of the shark-est-sprat world of American real-estate men has a resonance that spreads wide; a cast including Jack Shepherd in top form do it justice. FORTY YEARS ON

Queen's Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue, London W1 (734 1166). Mon-Fri at 7.30pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.30pm; matiness Wed at 3pm Transferred from Chichester, Alan Bennett's witty and nostalglo pageant of Britain from the 1900s to the 1960s, rich in wickedly funny parodles and presented as a boys' public school play, with all that entails. Paul Eddington makes a dotty yet dignified headmaster. ON YOUR TOES

Palace (437 6834). Mon-Sat at 7.45pm; matinées Thurs and Sat at 2.30pm Vatalia Makarova (who, alas, is

appearing only until today, and never at matinées) brings tremendous charm and vitality to this appealing revival of the 1936 Rodgers and Hart musical, staged by the co-writer and original director, George Abbott, aged 96. Doreen Wells takes over Makarova's role from Mon.

Wyndham's (836 3028). Mon-Fri at 8pm, Set at 5pm and 8.30pm; matinées Wed at 3pm Witty, sad and dazzlingly intricate, Peter Nichols's award-wirning 1981 play about unwilling adultery stars Leslie Phillips Judy Parfitt, Barry Foster and Zena Walker.

PASSION PLAY

Out of Town

BATH: Theatre Royal, Sawclose (0225 65065). She Stoops to Conquer by Oliver Goldsmith. Until Sept 22, Mon-Wed at 7.30pm, Thurs-Sat at Spm; matinées Sat at

Giles Block directs a new National Theatre production of the classic eighteenth-century comedy with Hywell Bennett, Tom Baker, Dora Bryan, Tony Haygarth, Kelly

GLASGOW: Chizen's Theatre, Gorbals (041 429 0022). French Knickers, based on La Vie

Parisienne, by Offenbach. Free preview Thurs at 7.30pm, opens Fri at 7.30pm, until Oct 6, Mon-Sat Second production of the new season, directed by Philip Prowse.

MANCHESTER: Royal Exchange, St Ann's Square (061 833 9839). Cymbeline. Until Oct 20, Mon and Tues at 7.30pm, Wed-Sat at 8pm; matinées Wed at 2.30pm, Sat at

4pm New season opens with a rarely produced Shakespeare play, featuring Janet McTeer, Art Malik, Hugh Quarshie and Avril Eigar, the company's principals. All the artistic directors, Braham Murray, Casper Wrede, Richard Negri, James Maxwell and Gregory ersov, are working together on all the season's productions.

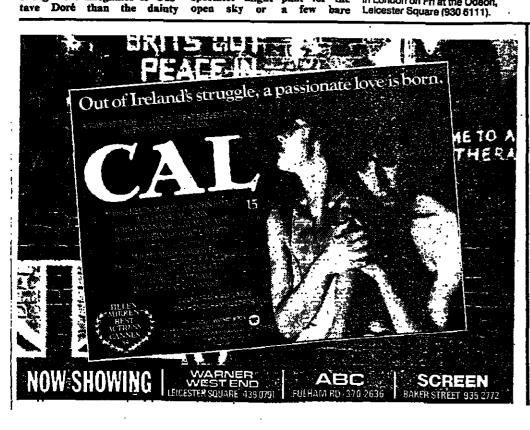
SALISBURY: Playhouse Malthouse Lane (0722 20333). Double Cut by Alfred Shaughnessy. Opens Thurs at 8pm, until Oct 13, Tues, Wed and Fri at 7.15pm, Thurs at 8pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.15pm; matinée Thurs Sept 27 at 2.30pm New thriller by the scriptwriter of Upstairs, Downstairs; an heiress living on the Costa del Sol is robbed; or is she?

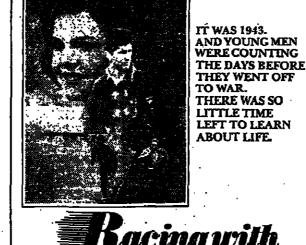
STRATFORD: Royal Shakespeare Theatre (0789 295623). Henry Y. Thurs at 7.30pm. In repertory Kenneth Branagh, with Bernard Horsfall, Brian Blessed, Sebastian Shaw, in a new production directed by Adrian Noble. Richard III. Wed at 7.30pm, Thurs Anti-open. In repertory
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Patricia Routledge, Brian Blessed,
Christopher Ravenscroft. Hamlet Today and Mon, Tues at 7.30pm. In repertory Roger Rees, Brian Blessed, Kenneth Branagh, Virginia McKenne Ernece Bulker McKenna, Frances Barker, directed by Ron Daniels.

WORCESTER: Swan, The Moors (0905 27322). Judy by Terry Wale. Until Sept 29, Mon-Fri at 7.30pm, Sat at 6pm; matthée Sept 29 at World premiere of a musical based on the life of Judy Garland, specially written for the resident

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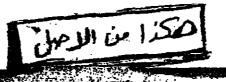
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FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet

Familiar and dangerous pressures at Thorn EMI

The shareholders' meeting of Thorn EMI yesterday had a distinct air of exaustion about it. After all, the past several months have produced a succession of dramas for the company, ranging from a change of chairman to a rights issue, including along the way a failed bid for British Aerospace and a successful takeover of Inmos, the microchip manufacturer. In the midst of all that, it has almost gone unnoticed that the group's 1983-84 pretax profits rose 28. per cent.

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Most attention inevitably has focussed on the two bids. It must have crossed a few shareholders' minds that their board has come away with the consolation prize, especially after Thurday's news that Pan Am is to spend at least \$1 billion (£737m) on a fleet of Airbuses. British Aerospace makes the wings for these planes, and their shares have duly reflected the extent of Pan Am's interest.

As Thorn's new chairman, Mr Peter Laister, politely conceded yesterday, Inmos is a somewhat troublesome catch. Its market is likely to be marked by periods of over-capacity and rapid product innovation. The company has also been marred by an unhappy management history, which Mr Laister will want to protect himself against by integrating Inmos into the rest of the group as quickly as possible. If that can be achieved, Inmos has the potential to be an engine of considerable growth within Thorn, as opportunities arise for its technological superiority to be applied throughout the group's product range.

After all the recent comings and goings, it is clear that Thorn EMI still faces deep strategic decisions. Its core entertainment businesses, especially records and TV rentals, are under pressure: it is not easy to see where dynamic profits growth can come from within the group as it is now constituted. A major initiative appears to be needed and with a new chairman, ambitious to make his mark, the temptation, as for his predecessors, Sir Richard Cave and Sir John Read, is especially

The BAe bid was an inspired piece of opportunism but doomed to fail. It was apparently the suggestion initially of Sir Peter Carey, who, after his long spell as the professional head of the Department of Industry, not only joined Morgan Grenfell but, nore surprisingly, the main board of the Dutch multinational Philips. Whatever quarry Mr Laister decides to pursue, at Thorn and especially at EMI, are not exactly encouraging.

The share price 403p, yielding 6.2 per cent and only 28p above its 1984 town indicates that the City's enthusiasm has run out of steam. No wonder, perhaps, that Mr Laister was a little short with those shareholders who berated him for the number of non-executive directors on

Business graduates out of fashion

given deadline

hangers in Oxfordshire where the airships are assembled. Mr Rob Pearce, heading Mr

Alan Bond's team mounting

a reconstruction for Airship

Industries, said the ministry

had given the company until

Monday to pay the rent or get

out.
"We cannot pay them in front of other creditors and they

will not wait three weeks," he

said. "Presumably we will be

Morgan Crucible, the indus-

trial components and materials group, has increased pretax

profits for the six months to July 1, from £4.3m to £7.3.

Turnover was up to £91.2m from £78.8m. The interin

dividend is increased to 3.7p

MINET HOLDINGS made

pretax profits in the six months to June 30 of £12.86m against £10.4m. The interim dividend

against 3.5p last time.

Nowhere does British Industry appear more old-fashioned that in its attitude to business school graduates. In a thought provoking survey carried out by the American management consultancy Harbridge House,* blame is briskly doled out to all three corners of the triangle: the

schools themselves, for lax entry stan-dards; much of industry, for preferring meek management recruits prepared to: accept low salaries and milikely to rock the boat with go-getting American techniques; and even to some of the inmates of the business schools themselves, for excessive expectations unmerited by their abilities or their courses.

The MBA (Master of Business Administration) or equivalent may be the hard currency of career progress and financial reward in the United States, but it is still virtually unheard of in the backwaters of British industry. However, the sorry truth is that the 40-odd schools in Britain produce 1,500 graduates a year of very varied calibre, not least because both the length and content of courses differs

And, says the report, the final degree too frequently fails to differentiate between the able and weak - the failure rate, allowing for those who fail themselves by dropping out or repeating a year, may by as low as 5 per cent.

High-flyers from the elite schools may face a choice of jobs: the average starting salary of a London Business School postgraduate was £15,980 in 1983, still modest in comparison with the Harvard equivalent, which works out at £31,462 admittedly calculated at £1= \$1.30. Salaries of the products of less well-known schools are far lower, and at the bottom of the pile job applicants come up against employers who would rather have more work experience than an extra qualifi-

A common feature of all schools is that they tend to produce the semi-processed material of finance and consultancy, with very few going into manufacturing. This may be partly due to the direction of the courses themselves, but it is also due to British industrial attitudes, since Ameri-can companies of all kinds recruiting in Britain do go for business postgraduates.

In part, these attitudes may be simply a matter of time. Only when there are more men like John Egan of Jaguar Cars (one of the LBS's first graduates) at the top of British industry, may the notion of postgraduate management degrees really begin to take root. But Mrs Thatcher's advisers, who have put management education on their list of Britain's supplyside deficiences, cannot afford to wait. *Harbridge House, 3 Hanover Square.

Treasury on target with inflation*

A modest inflation figure for August (only 5 per cent, desprte the impact of higher mortgages and the technical adjustment to take account of the wider range of rates offered) is some consolation to the Government for this week's miserable industrial production figures. Britain's inflation rate is still below the average for the European Community, though way above West Germany's figure of only 1.7

The Treasury's forecast - only 41/2 per cent by the fourth quarter of the year - can plainly be seen to depend on the vicissitudes of the foreign exchange markets. With lower interest rates, it might still be in sight.

NEWS IN BRIEF Shareholder criticizes Airship John Brown's chairman

will be circulated to all share-

Sir John Cuckney, chairman of John Brown, the engineering group, came under fire at yesterday's annual general meeting for signing accounts which were described by one shareholder as making "no The rescue package for Airship Industries was on the point of collapsing this weekend as the Ministry of Defence pressed forward a £78,000 claim for back rent on the Cardington sense at all".

The criticism came from Mr. Colin Perry, a certified account-ant, who raised a series of of questions about the group's 86. treatment of good will and the presentation in the accounts of information about investments in subsidiaries.

Such was the complexity of the questions that John Brown will be forced to carry out a costly investigation in conjunction with the company's anditors, Coopers and Lybrand, to American machine tool comformulate a written reply. This pany.

holders when the interim results are announced in December. The 1983-84 accounts, which were appproved by the meeting yesterday, received an unquali-fied auditor's report. Sir John told shareholders that the company was continuing to make progress in its aim of returning to profit in 1985

As part of the corporate plan which was introduced earlier this year, Brown has sold its Canadian subsidiary, Firth Brown Stainless, for £4.2m and A. H. Ball, the mains-laying

returning to profit in 1985-

company, for £640,000. Progress is also being made on the disposal of Olofsson, the

Hongkong Land revives

to lowest level since 1981 Anglia has said it will do the of funds, larger societies borsame. of funds, larger societies borsame. The main competition for building society funds then came from the 28th National

Building society receipts fall

Building societies took in net receipts of only £133m during August, compared with £630m for June and £608m for July. Meanwhile, building society receipts may not be helped by a This is the worst monthly further tranche of two existing intake since November 1981. Government stocks which will *The low August intake has led the large building societies and most of the smaller ones to come on to the market on Monday. These are a £150m tranche of the 2.5 per cent Exchequer stock, maturing in raise the rates they offer investors in an attempt to 1986, and a £100m tranche of 3 attract more funds. This has put per cent Treasury stock maturpressure on several societies' ing in 1987.

Building societies received a total of £4,116m during August but withdrawals of savings amounted to £3,983m; The Halifax Britain's largest society, has said a mortgage increase is likely and is meeting on Wednesday to decide. Its basic rate is now 12.75 per cent. Some of thesavings withdrawn also went to pay subscriptions to the Jaguar Cars share issue, the Building Societies Associ-

profit margins leading to fears

of moregage rate increases next

as coal

foreign exchange markets and

dated stocks were showing gains of up to £1 before lunch but

were easing back because of the

uninspired performance of the

US bond market, and retreated

further after the news on the

coal talks, closing up to £34

US economic data for August

released yesterday confirmed the slowing trend of the US

The producer price index, a

closely monitored gauge of inflation at the wholesale level,

dropped by 0.1 per cent last month, the first monthly de-

cline since November. Whole

sale inflation for the year now

During the same period, US

industrial production slowed firming the deceleration trend

Retail sales last month dropped by \$910m or 0.8 per

cent and industrial production

growth fell from 0.9 per cent in

June and July to 0.2 per cent.

However the dollar still
managed to shrug off the US
statistics. Having fallen back

overnight and opened lower it moved upwards during the day to close near best levels.

although still below its previous

Against the Deutsche mark he dollar finished at

DM3.0310, a drop of 70 points.

But at one point early in the day

it had been as low as

Kean & Scott

to buy Moben Mr Michael Ashcroft's Kean

& Scott — which is quoted on the USM — is taking over the troubled Mobert Group, a manufacturer of kitchen and bedroom furniture as well as

The agreed bid of three new Kean shares for every 11 Moben values Moben shares at

13.6p at yesterday's closing prices. Kean fell 2p to 50p while

Moben rose 1p to 14p.

A total of 13.5 million new

Moben has seen its shares fall

from a high in 1983 of 59p to a low of 13p this year. In the six months to last June it made an

operating loss of £718,000.

against a profit of £1.6m. Its

troubles have stemmed not from the well-known kitchen

side, but from the double-glaz-

Kean, which has its own

double glazing business, Alpine, hopes that the combination of

the two companies will boost

ing operation, Cold Shield.

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Other large societies, such as ation said. the Alhance, are likely to follow the Halifax's lead. The Chelten-Interest credited to investors' accounts by the societies amounted to £66m, though the ham & Gloucester has already raised its mortgage rate from 12.5 to 13 per cent, and the

improvement is the result partly of seasonal factors and partly of monthly average is £426m. To help make up for the low inflow National Savings certificate. GEC silent on bid intentions Pound falls

Lord Aldington, the outgoing

were ahead of the

talks fail deputy chairman of the General Electric Company, told share-holders at yesterday's annual meeting that in the first four By Peter Wilson-Smith and Bailey Morris months of this current year, trading and receivables from the £1.17 billion "cash moun-The breakdown of talks to end the miners' strike dealt a blow to the pound on the

previous year. Taxable profits in 1983-84 were £671m. sent Government stocks into Lord Aldington, who became a director of GEC in 1957, said: Sterling lost ground against European currencies in contrast to the strength it has shown in "I have never been more confident of the future of this recent days and touched a new record low of \$1.2630 against a great company. Lord Weinstock fairly firm dollar. The pound's trade-weighted index ended down 0.2 at 77.7. knows what he is doing and he is getting on with it."

Lord Weinstock, the manag-Against the dollar it closed 30 ing director, would not be points lower on the day at \$1.2655 and was down 1.5 drawn on his intentions towards British Aerospace. After the pfennigs at DM3.8400 against meeting he said merger talks were discontinued by the In the gilts market, long-



from the wholesale money

markets last month. In July

only £175m was raised from

The disappointing inflows

came when mortgage demand

was high, with a total of £2,387m lent by the societies

during August. But there are signs that high mortgage rates many be dampening demand

for home loans. Less than £2

billion has been promised to

The societies expect a strong

borrowers for September.

improvement in receipts

September and October. So far

this month they have taken as

much as they received during the whole of last month,

according to the BSA. The

chairman of BAe, Sir Austin Pearce, in the middle of July. after GEC had asked for certain information. There had been no

contact between the companies In answer to shareholder confirmed as GEC's chairman.

tain". Lord Aldington com-pared cash per employee with that in similar companies. GEC at £8,874 came out behind Siemens at £13,304, but ahead of British competitors like Racal at £7,432 and Plessey at

Savings certificate which was

withdrawn last Tuesday. From

its launch in early August the certificate took in £908m in

Mr Herbert Walden, chair-

man of the Building Societies

Association said the societies

were unable to compete

effectively with the very strong

National Savings competition

offered by the 28th issue of

need at least two months of

good not inflows to restore their

iquidity to adequate levels.

However, they expect to run into difficulties again towards

the end of October because of

the British Telecom share issue in November. More than £1

billion worth of Telecom shares

Many societies say that they

four weeks.

certificates."

Although one shareholder expressed strong dissatisfaction with the "cash mountain" not being turned more towards job creation and criticised GEC's falling number of employees the past nine years, another thanked the company for providing employees with coffee and biscuits for the first time. The expense is not exected to make much of a dent in the cash mountain.

Mr James Prior, former

Shares up_ slightly

Equities took the breakdown in the pit talks in their stride yesterday. Although prices eased in late trading the FT 38-share index finished just R shade higher and the minish more broadly based FTSE 100 shares index closed 4.3 points, better at 1,109.6 points.

Government stocks, however, displayed more appreh Early gains, inspired by lower interest rate hopes, of up to £% were wiped out and gilts ended with falls of up to £74. Market report, page 22

STOCK EXCHANGES

FT-SE 100 Index: 1109.6 up 4.3 (high: 1112.9; low: 1107.9) FT Index: 859.4 up 0.6 FT Gifts: N/A FT All Share: 523.77 up 1.85 Bargains: N/A Datastream USM Leaders Index: 101.83 down 0.15
New York: Dow Jones Industrial
Average: (latest) 1,235.31 up 7.07
Tokyo: Nikkei Dow Jones Index
10,521.54 up 42.78
Hennikons Mens Sens Index Hongkong: Hang Seng Index 945.44 up 33.66

CURRENCIES

LONDON CLOSE Starling \$1.2655 down 30pts Index 77.7 down 0.2 DM 3.8400 down 0.0150 FrF 11.7770 down 0.0350 Yen 310,75 down 0.0125

Dollar Index 140.7 down 0.1 DM 3.0310 down 0.0070 NEW YORK LATEST Sterling \$1.2660 Dollar DM 3.0340 INTERNATIONAL ECU 20.584393 SDR 20.784670

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US rates Bank prime rate 13.00 Fed funds 11% Treasury long bond 102% - 102% ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period August 8 to September 4, 1984 inclusive: 10.806 per cent.

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London fixed (per ounce): am \$339 - 340 pm \$341 - 345 close \$340.75 - 341.25 (£269 269.50) New York (latest): \$341.55

Krugerrand* (per coin): \$351 - 352.50 (£277.25 - 278.25) Sovereigns* (new): \$79.50 - 80.50 (263 - 63.75)

Accord may cost BA £17m a year By Jonathan Davis, Business Correspondent

February-March. It amounts to

British Airways's compromise proposal for resolving its routes row with British Caledonian would cost BA an estimated £15m to £17m a year in lost profits.

The view of BA's board, shared by its merchant bank advisers Lazards, is that such a loss of profits could be absorbed without risking BA's stock market flotation planned for

year of £300m. The Civil Aviation Auth-

ority's route transfer proposals on the other hand would cost BA between £75m and £80m a year in profits, an unacceptably high percentage which would undoubtedly kill any chances of floating before the spring.

The BA board is sticking to about 5 per cent of BA's its loss calculations, despite expected operating profits this claims by BCal and other rivals that it has deliberately overstated the figures to further its case against the CAA's recommendations.

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So, the prospect of an economy even more Hongkong Land, Hong Hong Kong Land's shares were industries which has resulted in the Government's building up 0.15 to 2.90 at the close of costs being lower than ex-The company was not the only one to feel the benefit of the more optimistic mood prevailing on the Hongkong The Government has re-

kong's largest property com-pany, has turned itself around from its disastrons year in 1983 to report interim pretax profits Tempus, page 22 • BROOKE BOND, the tea and Oxo company, is expected to reply on Monday to the £355m bid from Unilever, the of HK\$3.37 billion (£35.77m). The company suffered a pretax loss of HK\$1.64 billion food and detergent combine. The Brooke Bond letter will attempt to show that profits are permanently on a higher plane. But the shares fell 1p yesterday to the Phileses offer order to the Phileses offer order to the Phileses offer off for the half year in 1983 on the adjusted figures produced due te changes in the company's to the Unilever offer price of 114p. Tempus, page 22

accounting procedures.

The interim unaudited accounts show a consolidated net profit after tax and minority interests but before undisclosed extendinary, items of HK\$1.75 billion, compared with a loss of

was unchanged Tempus, page 22

Mo interim dividend HRS10m as re-stated.

No interim dividend will be paid and earnings per share are repay \$750m owed to western banks by today's deadline.

HRS10m as re-stated.

No interim dividend will be paid and earnings per share are 8.2 cents as opposed to a loss of banks by today's deadline.

0.5 cents on the changed basis.

stock market yesterday. The volatile market was looking distinctly happier with a strong US market and an easier dollar against all leading carrencies.

And as the Simo-British talks on the fature of the colony draw nearer a conclusion before draw nearer a conclusion before handover in 1997, it hooks as if Hongkong's export growth will be better than expected, allled with a fall in the budget deficit. If the deficit fall materializes it will largely be due to a slump in the building and construction

cently been paid a sum of HK\$1.9 billion by Hong Kong Land as final payment for the purchase of land to develop the company's 1.2 million sq ft Exchange Square office build-Exchange Square office building on the waterfront. Mr Simon Keswick, Hong Kong Land's chairman, seems undismayed by the overheated office market in Hongkong's prime commercial property area. Central District Despite failing routs he care that the ling rents he says that the company's 3.4 million sq ft portfolio is 92 per cent let.

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STOCK MARKET REPORT

American investors give ICI shares another lift

By Derek Pain

After trading firmly for most

dated taps did not help senti-

The "A" shares of shoe shop

and garage group. Stead &

Simpson surged 27p to 136p as

Ward White Group, the shoe maker and retailer, snapped up

of takeover speculation on Thursday, has acquired 29.1 per

cent of Stead's voting shares

and 5.6 per cent of the non-voting and widely held "A"

shares. Total cost of the shares

is more than £4.1m. The Ward

White buy values the ordinary

shares at 425p and the "A"

shares at 142p. It has purchased

its holding from Hanson Trust

which inherited its stake when

it took over the UDS stores

Stead has long been regarded as a possible takeover victim

Ward White has invested its

cash, financed out of its banking

facilities, merely to make a long

Bryson Oil shares rose another 10p yesterday to 318p, arousing

speculation that the company

has struck oil at last in Colombia. The truth is less

spectacular. The Colombian

well was inconclusive, so an-

other is to be drilled nearby. But

Bryson's results, due soon, will

show an excellent performance

in the US. The shares, like their sister Eglinton, are strictly for

Ward White shares, up 12p to

148p on Thursday, advanced a further 2p before falling to 141p

as it became clear that the

company was nursing bid

intention and was not sitting

around waiting for an offer, thought to be from Harris

Lincroft Kilgour, weak on Thursday, fell lp to 11p as the

fiercely contested and controversial takeover bid from John

Finlan, the building and prop-erty group run by Mr Graham

Ferguson Lacey, lapsed. Together with the shares held at the start of hostilities Finlan

had acceptance representing

28.15 of the Lincroft equity.

Queensway, to come along.

gamblers but have promise.

term investment.

would be surprising if

Imperial Chemical Industries higher. The much more broadly was back in the transatlantic based FT-SE index, 5.5 points spotlight yesterday. A new wave of American buying, once again higher just before the close, finished at 1109.6 up 4.3 points. inspired by the pound's weak-ness against the dollar, sent the ness against the dollar, sent the of the day, with gains of up to shares 14p hogher to 638p at £4s, gilts fell back, closing with one time. falls of up to £7s. The two short

But they lost a little of their glow just as the stock market ment. was closing when news that the pit-talks had collapsed came through. The ICI gain was trimmed to 8p and a number of other leading shares lost just a maker and retailer. snapped up few coppers as the market a significant shareholding in the resigned itself to a possible long continuation of the miners'

company. Ward White, itself the subject However, with new time buying. Wall Street frim and talk of American prime rate cuts, the market was in no mood to be too disconcerted by what many regarded as the inevitable conclusion to the talks on miners' dispute. At the close the FT 30 share

index, was just 0.6 points up at 859.4 points. In early trading the index had been 4.8 points

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Leisuretime International, the holiday group in the Aitken Hume orbit, was unchanged as Channel Islands property developer Mr David Kirch checked in, replacing the Kennedy

Brookes catering group.
On Wednesday, Kennedy, which had hoped to inject its associated travel interests into Leisuretime, sold its shareholding and vesterday Mr Kirch declared that through his Channel Hotels and Properties, known as Chaps in the market, he had acquired 7.5 per cent.

Takeover speculation continues to swirl around HP Bulmer, the cider maker. The shares climbed 8p to 200p yesterday with Arthur Bell and Sons, the Scotch whisky group, the latest rumoured bidder. A party of City drink analysis is due to make the trek to Bulmer's headquarters in Hereford on Monday. Last week the company gave warning of a profits standstill.

Together with his existing areholding he now has 8.7 per cent of the capital.

Chaps shares are traded under the 163 rule facility. Last price was 75p. Another of his vehicles, also traded under rule 163, is Dollar Land (Holdings) a property company which was the subject of some acrimonious confrontations in the late 1960's. Mr Kirch, a property high-flyer of the early 1970's. has said that he is grooming Chaps for an Unlisted Securities Market presence.

Airship Industries returned from suspension and rose from 2p to 6p. That would be good news, were it not for the fact that 2 shares were suspended at 31p two weeks ago, pending details of the rescue by Bond Corporation Holdings. That circular has now been published, and will be examined this weekend by disgruntled institutional shareholders. Attention is already focussing on the £70,000-a-year contract of the managing director.

Insurance shares were dull following the recent results but banks managed to hold on to small gains. Oils presented an array of modest gains.

The arrival of Bunzl, the paper group, as 4.9 per cent shareholders in Brammer which distributes bearings and electronic components, sent the shares 23p higher at 285p.

TEMPUS

Brooke Bond dividend could tip bid balance

By the end of next week we should know who has won the battle for Brooke Bond. The decisive event could well be Sir John Cuckney's next blast to shareholders, expected on Monday. The tea and Oxo company's friends are dropping heavy hints around the City that the letter - really a defence document in reply to Unilever - will contain some-

There are only two lines Brooke Bond can take. One is to pull from the hat the long awaited but much discounted "white knight", defined as an agreed bidder at a high price. hareholders impressed by Sir John's insistence that Brooke Bond should stay independent may have some difficulty in reconciling that policy with a white knight, however defined. In any case, it is hard to see who else would want to be embroiled in the affair at this

thing sensational

The more likely, second course is to redouble efforts to convince shareholders and anyone else who will listen that Brooke Bond's profits bave moved to a permanently higher level. This week's sharp jump in the London tea price, the second successive such rise, lends weight to the argument even if the increase is rather fortuitous.

But what will really turn the tables is a resounding profit forecast - modestly veiled, needless to say. Well before Brooke Bond predicted £70m for 1984 in reply to Tate & Lyle's original offer the City was going for about £75m during 1985. Brooke Bond and Lazards, the merchant bank, are too canny to make a fullblown forecast when the 1985 year has not even started. but a juicy dividend taster is not out of the question.

That said, the market has remained stoically unmoved by the prospect. The share price is barely suspended above Unilever's offer of 114p, and it is difficult to see how anything but truly sensational news from Brooke Bond could hoist the price more than temporarily out of reach of a second Unilever bid.

Quite understandably, the impression is gaining ground that Brooke Bond is concentrating on getting the best price for shareholders rather than honestly expecting to independent.

This is all in the takeover game, and nobody will complain - especially not shareholders who have cause to thank Lazards for bringing them a 40p capital gain already. Possibly the most disgruntled party will be Tate & Lyle who can do nothing

except sit and wait for a

Morgan Crucible

Morgan Crucible is well on target to make 1984 a record year for profits. Yesterday's £7.3m at the pretax level for the first half should be repeated comfortably to bring full year profits up to the £15m mark. It is confirmation that the company has genuinely come to terms with the problems which it faced. A combination of rationalization and im-

proved management has put Morgan firmly on the path of progress. All that remains is for the fact to be reflected in the share price. There was some movement

yesterday but the shares ended all square at 162p. This is only lp better than when company last reported in April. Given the profits growth profile of Morgan a greater increase might have been expected. However, while in absolute terms there is little sign of improvement, the relative performance is sufficiently encouraging to warrant

further interest. The short term prospects rive no cause to alter this view. With good performances from the carbon, ceramics and lubrication divisions likely to be maintained in the second half it leaves only the thermic division in any doubt. It has been hit by the miners' strike and without an early end to the dispute the impact will continue to be felt.

The downturn is measured thousands rather than millions and there are sufficient opportunities elsewhere in the group to offset the loss revenue. In particular the imminent signing of a lucrative contact with the Ministry of Defence will ensure that the group maintains its upward If any further evidence of

progress is needed the com-

dividend which augers well for the first uplift since 1979.

Minet Holdings

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Minet Holdings produced interim figures in line with the rest of the Lloyd's broking fraternity, although accounting changes made it harder to dig out the relevant numbers.

Brokerage income £1.85m, against £1.3m in the first half of last year, which would normally have gone into third-quarter figures, appeared in the interim results fore first time. Pre tax profits apparently 24 per ent higher at £12.86m were in fact 10 per cent higher after adjusting 1983 figures.

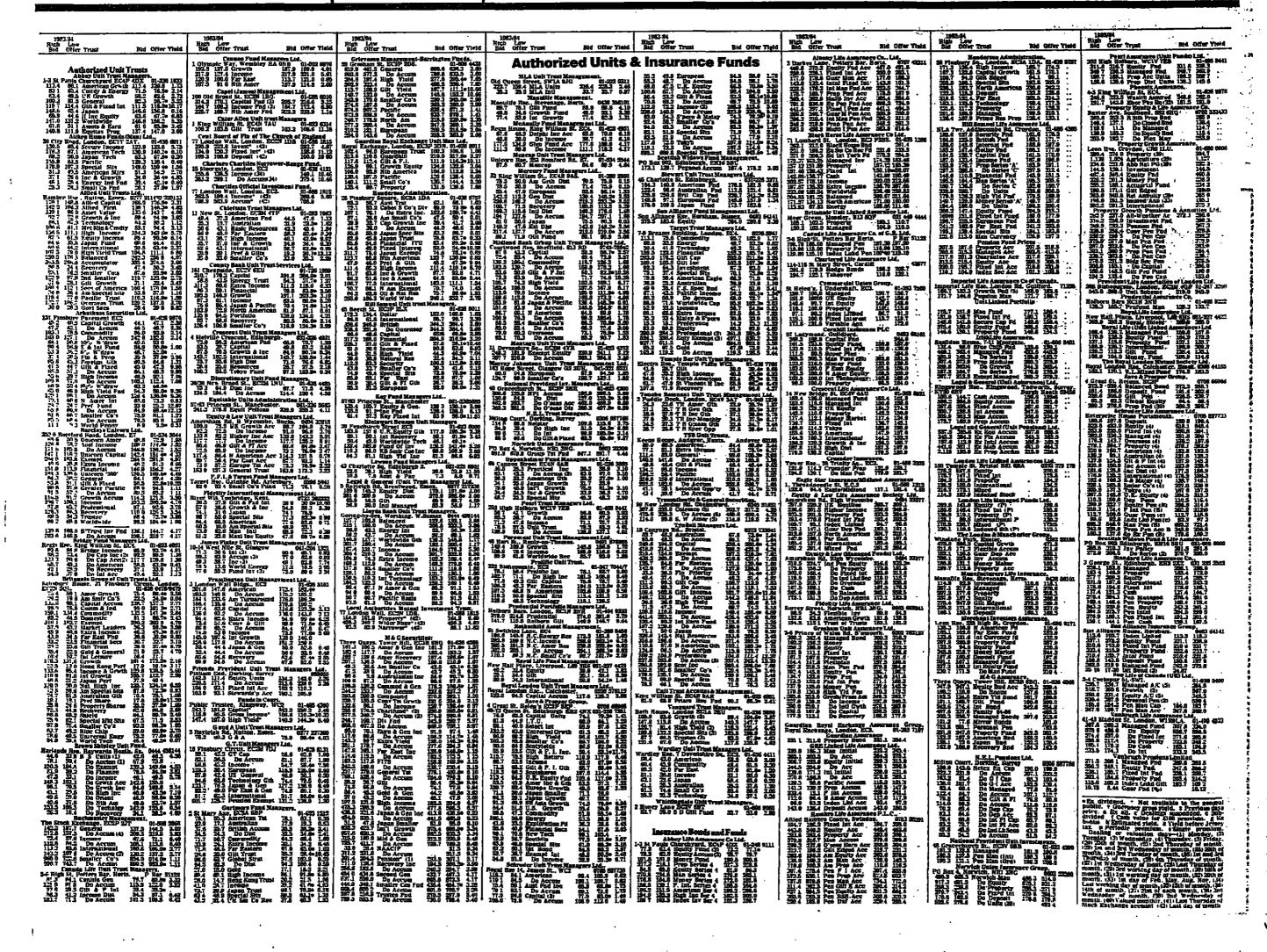
Although wholesale broking did well, the retail side continued to struggle in adverse conditions worldwide. South Africa and Australia were the problem areas. However, Mr Ray Pettitt, the chairman, said that with rates hardening the outlook was increasingly encouraging. The coming renewal season is expected to be very tough there will be along lead time before this translates into profits.

Expenses, after stripping out currency factors, were higher than expected at 15 per cent against income 14 per cent up, again less currency. The underlying trend of expenses is, however, coming down from 17 per cent in the first quarter.

The Lioyd's underwriting agencies, plagued by the PCW syndicate troubles for the past two years, managed profits of only £527,000 against £1.4m. The extraordinary costs of £6.7m relating to PCW were all made in 1983 accounts and the profits shortfall reflected the increased trading expenses of the agencies. Despite the publicity, more names are joining Minet agencies than leaving 25 to 15 at the last count.

Analysts have trimmed back their full-year forecasts slightly. because of the continuing difficulties in retail broking However, assuming £23.5m taxable profits against £20.4m and on a 48 per cent tax charge, the prospective p/e ratio is 11.5 on shares unchanged at 172p. Quite modest against the sector. There was no increase on the interim dividend, but a 12 per cent rise in the final would give a yield of 4.6 per cent.

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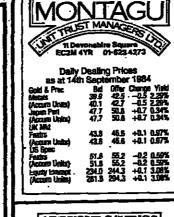
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National Savings Income Bond Min., investment £2,000 - max £50,000, Interest - 12.75 per cent variable at six weeks notice - pak monthly without deduction of tax. Repayment at 3 or 6 months notice - check penalties.

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National Savings 2nd index-linked Recurring holdings of other issues. Return tax-free and linked to changes in the retail price index Supplement of 0.2 per cent per month up to October 1984 paid to new investors; existing holders receive a 2.4 per cent supplement between October 1983 and October 1984 4 per cent bonus if held full five years to maturity. Retirement Issue Certificates purchased in September 1979, £160.93 including bonus

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Yorkshire 11 1/4 per cent. 5 years
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Barnet 11 1/4 per cent. 7 years West
Vorkehire 11 1/4 per cent. 9 years Yorkshire 111/4 per cent. 8 years Vale of Glamorgan 111/4 per cent. 9 & 10 years Kirklees 111/4 per cent.

Further details available from Chartered Institute of Public, Finance & Accountancy, Loans Bureau (638 6361 between 10am

Building societies Ordinary share accounts - 7.75 per cent. Extra interest accounts usually pay 1 per cent over the ordinary share rate. Regular savings schemes - 1.25 per cent over BSA advised ordinary share rate. Rates quoted above are those most commonly offered, individual building societies may quote different rates, interest on all accounts paid net of basic rate tax. Not reclaimable by non-taxpayers.

Investors in incurry
Fixed term, fixed rate investments of between 3 and 10 years, interest

of tax: 3-10 years, 11½ per cent; information from 91 Waterloo Road, London SE1 (01-928 7822).

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In the present round of investment rate increases by building societies, the Leamington Spa has come out with one

of the best in its Super Share Account.

The account requires a minimum investment of £2,000 but guarantees to pay 2.3 per cent over the society's

pay 2.5 per cent over the social or ordinary share account. This means the account paying a nominal 10.15 per cent. No notice is needed for withdrawal but the investor loses 14 days' interest.

Leamington lead

INVESTMENT

Bankers to start BES register

Duncan Lawrie, the bank which specializes in dealing with small businesses, has come up with of introducing a Business Expansion Scheme register instead of launching a formal BES fund. Only businesses which meet all the criteria for a BES fund will be brought to the attention of investors on the register.

The advantages are, therefore, exactly the same as they would be in a BES fund. Up to a maximum investment of £40,000 investors in the appropriate companies receive tax relief at their highest marginal rate as long as they keep their investment in place for at least

Investors join the register free of charge and receive details, of the companies selected by Duncan Lawrie. They can even specify which types of company they are likely to be interested in. They then make their own investment choice from among the companies offered.

Duncan Lawrie also undertakes to make a market in the shares of as many of the companies as it can. The fault of many ordinary BES funds is that when the investor wants to sell his shares at the end of five years he can find no market to do so. Understanding change

With legislation governing many areas of personal finance changing so rapidly under the impetus of "fiscal neutrality" and more general rationalization, and more general rauonalization, investors may be finding it hard to keep up. If so, they could benefit from the Personal Financial Planning Manual just published by Robson Rhodes, the chartered accountants.

The 250-page book covers five main areas: investments, family finance, life assurance, pensions, and capital transfer tax. Each is broken into sub-sections, and with the use of a key and copious cross-referencing readers can produce their own specially tailored plans, the publishers claim. The author, Mr John Raynor, says the book, which costs £14.95, should help both professionals and members of the public.

Sponsored radio

Sponsored programmes have arrived with the announcement that the Stock Exchange is to finance a weekly radio programme to be broadcast on the network of independent radio stations. Produced by LBC Radio, Family Money will go out between 7 and 7.30 pm - the first transmission on LBC Radio on Friday, September 21.

The producer and presenter of the orogramme will be LBC's financial editor, Mr Douglas Moffitt, who said: "The Stock Exchange's Involvement means that we can put together a structured, comprehensive financial programme which will be a plain man's guide to finance - how to save, how to invest, and where to borrow. We intend to dejargonize a lot of what goes on and provide information on the whole range of personal finance."

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The programme will have to be good to compete with BBC Radio's Moneybox programme, fronted by Miss Louise Botting and produced by Mr Vincent Duggleby who have established themselves as leaders in the family france field on adds. The enterms will finance field on radio. The autumn will also see the first of the Channel 4 programmes on money, aimed to compete directly with the BBC's Money Programme, which goes out on BBC2 on Sunday.

Account issue

Chase de Vere investments has launched the fifth issue of its 2 Year Guaranteed Income Account for investors who missed the 28th National Savings certificate which was withdrawn on Tuesday. The account guarantees to pay 9.25 per cent each year for two years (compared to the 28th issue's 9 per cent tax-free per year if held for five years.)
The rate of interest on the account is well below rates being offered by many building societies, but while building society rates can always move downwards the Chase de Vere rate is fixed for the two years of the investment.

Sun Life launch

Sun Life of Canada has launched its own version of a unit-linked mortgage repayment scheme. The plan is linked to six funds. If the return echleved from the funds is higher than the expected 7.5 per cent, the mortgage can be paid off early. If it is less, the term of the loan can be

One somewhat unusual feature of the scheme is that the life insurance policy linked to the funds is not matched to the term of the mortgage, as on most schemes, but written to age 65 for the borrewer. This means that if the borrower changes houses he can also change the mortgage without the expense of having to terminate his old unit-linked repayment plan and take out

Twelve new funds

Clerical Medical, the mutual life office, has moved into unit-linking in a big way by setting up 12 funds in conjunction with Fidelity, the unit fust managers. British, property and cash funds will be managed by Clerical Medical, and the international funds in Edelity.

property and cash funds will be managed by Clerical Medical, and the international funds by Fidelity. At the same time, Clerical Medical is introducing three products linked to the funds: a Maximum Investment Plan for regular savings; a Flexible Retirement Plan for the self-employed and those in non-pensionable employment; and an Inheritance Protection Trust to mitigate the effects of capital transfer tax.

Clerical Medical and Fidelity have Clerical Medical and Fidelity have good performance records on the funds they manage.

Beating the Budget

Family Assurance Society is launching its Earnity Bond in an endowment form in line with new limits on tax-free friendly societies announced in the Budget. It was designed to help married couples or single parents provide for their own saign parents shower for their own future prosperity and that of their children by saving through a tax-exempt fund, but now, under new rules and tables, it is available to everybody between 18 and 70.

It includes life cover of at least £750 or the value of the accumulated units, whichever is the greater. Policy holders will continue to enjoy an investment free from basic rate tax, higher rate tax, capital gains tax and corporation tax, it is designed to run for at least 10 years, after which policy holders have three options: encash the entire Family Bond as a tax-free lump sum; allow the bond to continue without further contributions to grow in a tax-free fund: take regular encashments from the unit linked fund,

tex-free.

Details from Family Assurance
Society, Blenheim House, Church Street,
Brighton, BM1 (WF. (Tel: (0273) 671111).

House prices up 6.4%

House prices rose by 6.4 per cent in the year to August 1984, according to the latest figures from the Halifax Building Society. The increase in the last three

Society. The increase in the last three months was 2.3 per cent. New property prices rose by 1.6 per cent white existing homes went up 2.4 per cent and first-time buyer prices by 2.1 per cent.

Prices have risen by 6.6 per cent so far this year, the first real sign of the predicted slowdown after the steady rise seen this year.

Hafter now believes house prices will

Helitay now helieves house prices will rise by no more than 8 per cent this year. But there are strong regional differences; prices are moving up twice as fast in London and the South-east as they are in the northern parts of the country. Mr John Spalding, Haiffax Chief General Manager, says: "Intense competition for savers" funds has delayed the possibility of an early reduction in interest rates. Despite these higher rates, demand for home loans is still running at a high

Child's pay

The banks, and Barclays in particular, are leaving no stone unturned in their attempts to persuade junior savers across the threshold. From now until February 28, children under 17 can collect "proof of purchase" tags from five Procter & Gamble products: Ariel, Ariel Automatic, Fakry Liquid, Flash and Lenor, For every proof of purchase tag plus £1 deposited by the child in a Barclays Supersavers Account, the bank with put another £1 into the account up to a maximum of £5. The free money and a maximum of £5. The free money and matching deposit must stay in the account for a minimum of six months.

This latest promotion follows the I IIIS IZEES promount follows the success of a similar joint venture with Proctar & Gambie last year. Mr Antony Hunter, head of marketing for Banciays said: "Our 1983 promotion resulted in the opening of over 150,000 new opening or over 150,400 new Supersevers accounts. This year we are hoping for even bigger success. In addition to television advertising, many households will also receive a special envelope by post, giving details of the offer and in which children can collect the 'proofs of purchase' ".

Only one Supersavers account per child is allowed and not more than two proofs of purchase of any one brand may

Mortgage help

The Nationwide Building Society has finked up with three housing associations — the Rediand in Bristol, Headrow in Leads and WPHT of south Essex — to help first-time buyers on modest incomes

help first-time buyers on modest recurred with their mortgages.

Via the "First Step Mortgage" scheme, the Nationwide is making £1.5m of index-linked and £1.5m of conventional funds available to the three. Half the amount borrowed is repaid at a fixed 4 per cent with the balance linked to the annual movement in the retail price index. The other half is repaid at the Nationwide's ordinary basic mortgage rate.

This means a monthly repayment of £132.40 in the first year on a £20,000 loan, against a monthly repayment on a normal £20,000 mortgage of £171.20.

Under-cover guide

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it's hard to tall a good insurance policy from a bad one if you are confused by insurance jargon and do not know wit to look for the pitfalls, says the Consumers' Association, which is launching The Which? Book of

The complaints received at the insurance Ombudaman's Bureau amply demonstrate the difficulty of

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policy is best for your needs, and making a claim, then this clearly written, well printed book is worth having. It also gives help on basic but potentially confusing areas, such as tiling in proposal forms, getting quotations and renewing policies. It takes the reader through the procedure of making a claim and even advises on how to insure against such possibilities as rain during your charity fets, or losing your contact lanses.

All the usual areas of insurance are dealt with, such as car and house cover, but the book also discusses altess like legal and health insurance and life cover. Last but not least, it includes a useful glossery of terms to untangle the jargon. The Which? Book of Insulance, published by Consumers' Association and Hodder & Staughton, Available from bookshops or the Subscription Department, Consumers' Association, Gascoyne Way, Hertford SG14 1LH.

Short-term saver

Commercial Union has issuncted Prime Saver, a short-term ult linked insurance policy which offers investors easy access to their money. The achema, operating on a basic tive-year period, is aimed at planning for pradictable forthcoming expenses like a replacement or family wedding.

Access to money with Prime Saver is straightforward – only 10 days' notice after two months with no penalties. Minimum units of £250 must be withdrawn and a balance of £1,000 left for the policy to continue.

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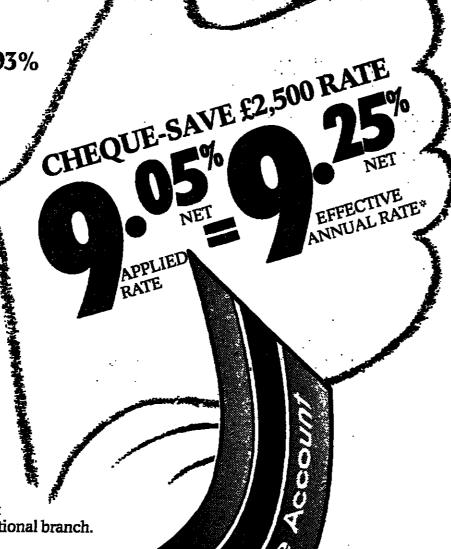
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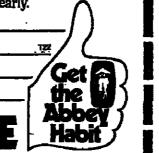
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Policy to help with estate problems

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Helping people to avoid huge to pay this second amount). The capital transfer tax bills when they die has become big business for insurance companies. More than 30 inheritance trust schemes exist to mitigate the effects of CTT on the sale of the house.

But the large second pre-£1 billion invested in them.

All these schemes depend on large amounts of money being put in trust for the investor's heirs. That is fine for people with plenty of space cash or equity investments, but where does it leave those whose estate is well over the £64,000 "nil rate" CTT threshold because of the value of their house or other property but have little extra

It is perhaps surprising to find there is only one off-thepeg scheme designed to solve

exactly this problem. The scheme is marketed by Premium Life. Investors take out a non-profit whole life policy with a sum assured

is first set up and, to minimize the demands on the investor's

into a covenant with Premium Life from the outset, promising But the large second pre-

mium has a further use, since it is deemed to be a debt deductible from the investor's estate as far as CTT is concerned. The heirs therefore receive the benefit of the nonprofit whole life policy and have a notionally smaller estate on which to pay tax. Premium Life charges no initial

fces and pays all the legal costs. But an investor would be wise employ his or her own

£2,000 roughly equivalent to the value

The policy is then put in trust with the investor's heirs as the beneficiaries. The policy is paid for with two unequal premiums. The first is paid when the policy cash, it need be only about 7 or

8 per cent of the sum assured. The second premium is paid into the trust about six months after the death of the investor (though to satisfy legal require-ments the investor must enter

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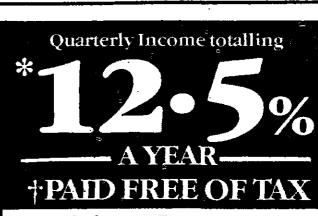
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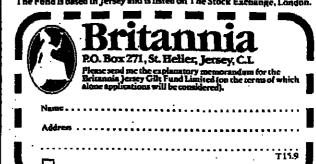
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Sapphires fail to sparkle for investors

Investors who put money into Richmond Life's gemstone fund at the original offer price of £1 a unit will be lucky to get 15 per cent of their money back.

That is the message for those people who placed their faith in the fund's Sri Lankan blue sapphires in October, 1980. Mr John Ormond, chairman of the Richmond Life Assurance Company, said that at that time inflation was still firmly in double figures and there was no such thing as index-linked gilts.

So, at the time, it might have seemed like a reasonable hedge to commit a small proportion of assets to alternative investment. Gold was riding high and investment in precious stones was becoming fashionable.

In those conditions it is perhaps not surprising that investors were seduced by Richmond's marketing literature which spoke of "the demand for Sri Lankan sapincreasing while resources are finite."

The literature also gushed on about Sri Lanka being the home of the world famous Cevion tea" and referred to the investment as being "a unique opportunity for the discerning investor." So, what went

Mr Ormond, whose company is in the Isle of Man, attributes many of the fund's problems to the collapse of his supplier, Gems International Performance will also have been badly affected by the recent high level of interest rates which has taken the shine off most non income producing assets.

According to Mr Ormond, the gems market is "disas-trous", but he has not given up hope of retrieving the situation. Last autumn, he managed to rais £200,000 from the sale of some of the blue sapphires. This was no comfort to investors as the proceeds had to go towards a bank loan of £300,000 which had been secured on the basis that the stones would realize

Mr Ormond concedes that investors are concerned, but he is pinning his hopes on a recovery. "It will take time," he recovery. "It will take time, "he held on says. "If you push it, you get a Register.

He says the sapphires are in a bank vault in England, but this is of little use to investors in a fund which has been suspended for almost 18 months.

out and their only hope now is since it can be invested between that Mr Ormond can pick the the time it is received and the right time to sell the stones at time tax must finally be paid. the best commercial price, and allow them to walk away with 15p for every 100p invested.

Peter Gartland

Banks join deposits battle

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The intense competition in the retail savings market is spread-ing rapidly from the building societies where it started to the banks which, with their huge reservoirs, are coming up with some remarkably attractive

So investors are having a field day. Over the last week almost all the large building societies and many of the smaller ones raised their deposit rates to give effective annual yields of more than 10 per cent (see table). That leaves the Leeds Permanent, the first society to raise its rate, far behind again at 9.25

But the banks are exerting themselves on this front as well. On Wednesday Midland announced the "New Saver Plus Account", which the other clearing banks may well be forced to follow. It is a current account paying interest on all balances above a £100 mini-

Furthermore, the rate of interest increases as the balance in the account increases. On deposits of £100 or more an extra half percentage point is added to Midland's ordinary deposit rate (now 7.25 per cent). On Balances over £250 one point is added on to the rate, over £500 1.5 points, are and over £1,000 the rate is a full two

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points above the basic deposit £1. NatWest clearly also hopes to gain from this evident

Account holders get a Saver Plus card with which they can withdraw up to £100 a week on both Midland and NatWest cash dispensing machines.

NatWest has chosen to keep its banks open for longer to attract more business. Like Barclays, some NatWest branches will stay open on Saturdays from 9.30am to 12.30pm. Barciays found the scheme so popular, and was having to process so many cheques, that it increased the charge on each cheque cashed to discuss The moves are, naturally, designed to attract more de-

posits. But the banks are also gearing themselves up for the introduction of composite rate tax next April, when they will have to deduct tax from interest at source. It will then be clearer than ever to savers that clearing bank ordinary deposit rates are far worse than rates offered by building societies. If the banks flooding away they must start improving their savings prod-

But while investors profit, mortgage borrowers with many building societies face higher home loan rates. Cheltenham & Gloucester has already raised its mortgage rate, Anglia has said it will, and several other societies were expecting to do so after the Building Societies Association's monthly meeting, which ended yesterday.

Two weeks ago, on the other hand, two clearing banks, Barciays and Lloyds, reduced their rates. Both now charge a basic 12.5 per cent which is already well below those of the bailding virtually

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then have them transferred to

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Eurocheque scheme expands

More banks are joining the Uniform Eurocheque system which allows customers to write foreign currency cheques for cash or goods in countries in Ечгорс.

National Westminster and its subsidiaries, including the upmarket Coutts & Co. announced this week they were joining and so is Royal Bank of cotland and its subsidiary, Williams & Glyn's.

Customers going abroad receive special cheques and Eurocheque cards. At present, these can be used to obtain cash at 185,000 bank branches or to pay for goods at 4.5 million shops, hotels and garages in 39 European and Mediterranean countries. The cheques can also be used in this country.

Until now, Midland Bank has been the only British bank to be member. It started issuing Eurocheques last year when the banks all agreed to ban use of the normal cheque-guarantee card abroad. One point to remember is

that banks normally levy a charge on each Eurocheque

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There are a number of ways an even bigger tax advantage. If being deducted as it would be if bought through a broker and

There is a special advantage in this for non-taxpayers who do not have to go through the nuisance of claiming back tax deducted at source. But gross interest also benefits everyone

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The informal minimum investment expected by National to invest in gilts but one offers Savings is around £1,500, though if is possible to buy the stocks are bought on the smaller amounts. On modest National Savings Stock Register deals of this size a National the interest from them is paid to commission of only 0.4 per cent the investor gross, without tax is charged, against the 0.8 per cent usually charged by stockbrokers for similar sized deals. held on the Bank of England A purchase of £1,500 worth of gilts on the NS register thus

But despite its big advantages Naturally, this makes it hard to the NS register has several drawbacks.

There are 50 government stocks available on the register. but this is only about half of all gilts on issue. Most types of gilt - high and low income, long Buying gilts on the National and short maturities - are represented on the register.

But as one broker pointed

vate investors. Quite apart from send it with a signed blank Post Office investors miss out. Nor is there, he added, any advice given by National Savings to its clients on which stocks to buy and when.

> But perhaps the greatest criticism of the NS method is that you cannot be sure of the price you will be paying. With a stockbroker an investor may well know what he has paid for his gilts 10 minutes after placing

Buying through National Savings you might not find out for several days, depending on how fast the post takes your form to Blackpool.

take advantage of temporary market situations, and could mean - if the market is moving fast - that you pay a very different price for the stocks than you expected. If the price is higher than you expected then the yield on your investment will be lower. This is compounded by the fact that National Savings does not

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"Our claims for subsidence are up by 50 per cent at least", said Mr Bill Sclare at Sun Alliance, the biggest company in the home insurance market. That, of course, is a result of the long hot summer of 1983. We are waiting to see what 1984

Most insurers, it seems, are nervously fingering the subsidence clauses in their building contracts. Generally speaking policyholders are expected to stump up the first £500 of any

osidence damage.

There is a school of thought £500 figure to something like cover is fixed as a standard f2,000" Mr Sclare said. "But proportion of the value of the frankly I don't think that is on. Two thousand pounds is a lot of money for most of us and the whole purpose of having insurance in the first place is to reckoned to have contents of have protection from a large

liability". Subsidence is now responsible for a fifth of all claims according to Mr Sclare, and had there not been so much storm damage last winter it might have amounted to a much higher proportion than that. It is now a major risk. If the companies do not raise their subsidence excess (the amount the policyholder is expected to pay) it seems certain that they will try to put up their rates next

The cost of buildings insurance has been fairly static at about £1.50 per £1,000 insured. Index-linking has seen the insurers all right so far as increasing premium incomes is concerned, but rates are almost certain to rise next year.

The good news for home-owners, however, is that some rates for home contents insurance may be coming down, though it depends where you live. The increase in burglaries continues unabated, particularly in London and the Home Counties, where the top rate for contents insurance can be £10 per £1,000 worth of goods insured. That accounts for the fact that underinsurance has reached epidemic proportions in neighbourhoods like Hampstead and Highgate.

Mr Ken Hurst, of Norwich Union, said his company was bringing some rates down in its home-plus policy.

We now have much more

statistical evidence which shows that some parts of the country have much worse claims experience than we thought, and others much hetter."

Inhabitants of Norfolk, Suf-folk, Devon and Cornwall may well find their premiums for. home contents insurance cut this year from the standard

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pay to shop around, But the main problem in home insurance is how much your contents should be insured for. Insuring the house itself is straightforward. The value is suggested by the building society and is index-linked.

Building societies are now becoming increasingly interested in selling customers home contents insurance as well, saying piously that they are worried that most of us are under-insured. In fact, they have spotted a good marketing opportunity in the new gener-ation of hybrid policies that cover both buildings and contents and take the burden of estimating amounts from the shoulders of the houseowner.

Quite simply, under these policies the amount of contents building - with most building societies it is estimated as half. So under a hybrid policy a house insured at £60,000 will be £30.000

Several building societies are now offering these policies, but some of the insurance companies - though they end up underwriting them - are not completely happy. They say there is still no substitute for going round your house and working out what your contents

are worth. The building societies, on the other hand, say people just do not do that, and are therefore at risk. They can also make it less painful to pay for proper insurance because the annua premium can be added to the monthly mortgage repayment.

But the problem with these hybrid policies is that you can end up under-insured or, indeed, paying well over the odds, so before simply accepting one out of sheer inertia you should make sure you have some idea of the real value of

your contents.

After all a pair of newlyweds is going to have on average far less in the way of valuables than a middle-aged couple, even though the value of the actual house may be the same.

The latest building society to

latch on to the hybrid policy is the National & Provincial, whose new plan insures home contents for up to the full value of the building up to a limit of £35,000. A novel feature is that claims for clothing will be paid at full replacement cost. Most policies pay out on a second-hand or wear-and-tear basis.

Insuring a £60,000 house and contents up to the top value of £35,000 would cost about £210 a year at the N & P lowest rate of £3.50 per £1,000. Insuring the building at the standard rate of £1.50 and £35,000 worth of contents at £3.50 would come to fractionally more, but, of course, if you do not have anything like £35,000 worth of contents in your home you will be paying over the odds.

Putting the right value on your contents is still a big problem. The Trustee Savings Bank home insurance plan was one of the first to grasp this particular nettle: its plan estimates the amount of contents for you according to a scale that takes into account what kind of house you have, what its value is and where you live. If, come the crunch, you are under-insured, it will pay up to the limit with no scaling down.

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administration for the country - both North and South - as one unit, confirmed in Dublin yesterday that the two Ulstermen, Steve Martin and Billy McConnell, who were members of the Great Britain bronze medal winning team in Los Angeles, would play for Ireland and not for Britain at Willesden, Ireland are taking the Willesden sysmical part of their own preparation for the The British Insurance Association offers three booklets on house and contents insurance. Write for details to the BIA. Aldermary House,

Cram too sharp despite thorn in his flesh

From Pat Butcher, Tokye

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result, then Marlies Göhr, with a 10.97sec victory in the women's 100m was the best

result of the tournament. Her

marvellous colleagues, led by Marita Koch and Heike Drechser-Daute, were the bed-rock for the East German

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Diana Davies (the recently married Miss Elliott) who

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His was the best of the string of second places that helped the spikes before the race and there British team to success, for the 17-year-old Mafe lowered his UK under-19 200m record (set it was, dug into my little toe," he said "I was dead lucky. If I'd started before feeling it, there's the Olympic semi-final) to no way I would have finished 20.57sec when finishing a one 10th sec behind Kirk Baptiste, victor over Carl Lewis at Crystal Palace a month ago. As it was, there was no way Cram was going to lose afterwards, for despite a slowish time of 3 min 47.12 sec, due to If Mafe's was the best British

many of these races, everyone expected him to win, and ran behind him accordingly, letting Everyone also expected East Germany and the Soviet Union to dominate this tournament. and so they did. Britain's fine third place would still have been accomplished even if the United States had not failed to field athletes in three races, or had their pole vaulter not failed to register a height. But the crowd of 65,000 in the 1964 Olympic Stadium did not mind.

the funeral pace that mark so

The only American they had come to see was Carl Lewis, and the unusual step of putting the 100 metres as the last event sent them away happy when Lewis won in 10.13 sec, although the applause had been short circuited on his first appearance, when his three colleagues in the sprint relay delivered him the baton so far behind, that all Lewis could do was finish fourth. He got more applause just waving to the crowd afterwards. Tim Hutchings was the only

other Briton to win doing so with a fierce last lap sprint in the 5,000 metres that killed off the courageous Russian, Dimi-triev, whose compulsion to lead may yet bring him the same results as those enjoyed through the same tactics by Vladimir Kuts, his illustrious predecessor. Kuts was known as the Iron Man of the track, and that is exactly what Hutchings could be. He has great strength, as evinced by his cross - country performances - he was second in the World championships last March. And he has the resilience to intersperse road and track running successfully,

BOXING

More gold

for two

Olympians

A spokesman for Main Events said: "The amount of money that

the 1976 US Olympians received

pales by comparison to what Breland, Whitaker and Holyfield will get for their first pro fights". Of

the five American boxers who enjoyed successful professional careers after the 1976 Montreal

Olympics, Sugar Ray Leonard and Howard Davis received the biggest purses for their first professional bouts, about \$40,000 dollars each.

bouts, about \$40,000 dollars each.
In Los Angeles on Thursday Julio Caesar Chavez, of Mexico, retained his anheaten record as he won the vacant WBC junior lightweight title by beating his fellow countryman Mario "Azabache" Martinez after the referee stopped the bont Several important bouts are due to take place today. Thomas Hearin makes the third defence of is WBC super welterweight title against fellow American, Fred Hutchings.

Alex. Blanchard of the Netherlands, the European light heavy-

lands, the European light heavy-weight champion meets Manfred Jassmann, of West Germany, with

Michael Spinks, the world light

heavyweight champion.
The veteran Colombi, Prudencio

Cardona challenges Santos Laciar, of Argentina, for the WBA flyweight

The Great Britain team will play

matches against Middlesex, Surrey and London Indians at Bisham Abbey on September 23. These games will round off their first training weekend in preparation for the international tournament from

October 19 to 21 at the Willesden

Sports Centre, where the opposition will be provided by the Netherlands, the Soviet Union, and Ireland.

The Irish Hockey Union (IHU),

which is responsible for the administration for the country - both

HOCKEY

Britain lose Ulstermen

By Sydney Friskin

next year.

jumper left who uses the straddle technique.

ATHLETICS: HONOUR FOR BRITAIN IN EIGHT-NATION MEETING

started hopefully in the pitiless surroundings of RAF Cosford indoor track last January, and second in the steeplechase in his ended here in the glorious last British international before surroundings on his second taking out Canadian citizen-ship. And Todd Bennett's Olympic stadium venue of the year, with another fine record to second place in the 400m was appreciated all the more for his being beaten by the only official Japanese winner, Susumu Taka-no, in the 400m. Yutaka Kanai was first past the post in the 10,000 metres, but he was running as a Japanese guest and

> Thomas Schönlebe, of East Germany, has found a way to beat Phil Brown on the last leg of a 4x400m relay, if it was not Brown himself who found it. Despite his poor form in individual races, Brown has made a name for himself by being unbeaten off the same mark on the final leg in the last two years. But he tried to take the East German before coming into the straight instead of waiting a little longer as he watting a little longer as ne usually does, and paid the penalty when Schönlebe over-took him again in the last few metres. But Britain had clinched their third place by then, the penultimate event and the scene was set for King Carl



Cram crosses the line an easy winner from Busse, of East Germany, in the 1,500 metres

FULL RESULTS IN THE EIGHT NATION MEETING IN TOKYO

10,000 METRES: 1, V Abramov (USSB), 30:14.37; 2, W Schildheuer (ES), 30:14.54; 3, M Schinatur (Lep), 30:14.54; 4, K Harrison (38), 30:16.58; 5, P Cummings (US); 30:17.60; 6, 3

110 METRES HURDLES: 1, T Campbell (US), 13.30; 2,6 Beicos (Hum), 13.45; 3, T Munkelt (EG), 13.76; 4, S Usov (USSR), 13.76; 5, N Waller (GB), 13.06; 6, G Tozzi (b), 13.97; 7, M Micogo (Jap), 14.03; 8, H Kenmochi (Jap),

Const., 1 Propysovanianys (USSR) 2.00.45; 2, U Hiddgard (Eig. 2.01.20; 3, K Szelei (Huri) 2.01.57; 4, L Baker (68) 2.03.16; 5, A Possumel (t) 2.03.16; 6, R Monday (US) 2.04.62; 7, A Arel (Jep) 2.09.15; 8, S Mlyszeld (Jap) 2.18 44

Chicken Leaguers await visit of FA Cup holders

Students tackle Dunn's Dilemma

Theo Dunn is a member of the Dublin branch of the Everton Supporters Club. Like all the other club members, he will be at Tolka Park on Wednesday night when Everton open their European Cup Winners Cup campaign against University

New York (Reuter) - The Olympic medal winners, Mark Breland and Pernell Whitaker, will each earn more than \$50,000 (about \$40,000), when they make their professional debuts on November 15. Winners Cup campaign against University College, Dublin (UCD).

It is a big night for Everton's fans in exile who normally have to cross the Irish Sea to watch their team play. For Theo Dunn, the evening will be especially poignant. He is UCD's coach and a distinguished veteran of the part-time. Earlier this week, it was revealed that another US Olympic boxer, Evander Holyfield - who won a bronze medal on Los Angeles - had League of Ireland (by virtue of sponsorsigned a contract that guaranteed him \$1m. Holyfield will make his ship now known as Pat Grace's Famous him 51m. Hotylied will make me debut on the same card as Brefand and Whitaker. All three boxers have signed contracts with a New Jersey-based promoter, Main Events, and are guaranteed national television coverage by the ABC network.

A stockesman for Main Events Chicken League). Theo is by day the

driver of a baker's van The literate citizens of Dublin have tagged the Everton tie "Dunn's Dilemma". And there is for sure more than a touch of fantasy about a European game in which the FA Cup winners meet a team coached by a bread roundsman. It might be a story from The Tiger.

One is tempted to submit the following sequence of events: Everton lose 1-0 in Dublin. Dunn's Deadly Tactics Win the Day! He takes his students to Goodison Park, where they tear their glamorous rivals apart. The Everton crowd chant Theo's name. Howard Kendall is sacked, and the Everton board instal Dunn as manager. (Those of a cynical cast of mind will insist on the following postscript: Theo insists on staying with UCD until they are knocked out of Europe. They lose 10-0 in Iceland in the second round and Everton change their minds and appoint Tommy Docherty!).

Quite apart from Dunn's Dilemma, the meeting of Everton and UCD in European competition is a rare collision between fantasy and reality. Nothing is more real than the sweat and blood of the first division, and there will be no more unlikely presence in the Cup Winners' Cup than that of the students of Ireland's

largest university.
University College, Dublin has a powerful sporting tradition. Academic visitors to the campus at Belfield, a 10minute drive from the city centre, are

Intercontinental cup in Barcelona

Douglas Grey, the Secretary of the IHU said, however, that Ireland would not stand in the way of these

players if they wanted to assist the Great Britain team in the Cham-

pions' Trophy tournament at Karachi from December 7 to 14, provided that this event did not

plans. He did not forsee that there would be any difficulty during this

-Middlesex, who are making

strong challenge for the county championship this season, hope to field a good side at Bisham Abbey against Great Britain. They are

rying to obtain the services of Robert Clift, an England inter-national, formerly of Warwickshire, who has already agreed to play for Hounslow this season.

erfere with Ireland's own training

likely to feel that they have come to the wrong place. The halls of learning are dwarfed by one of the finest outdoor sports complexes in Europe, set in 300 acres, every one of which is coveted by the

city's rapacious building industry.

The university has bred champions in many sports but until the advent of Tony O'Neill was never much of a place for

in between building a flourishing practice specializing in sports injuries. Dr O'Neill lent a hand in the running of the students' football team, which in the mid 1970s competed with no great distinction in the local Dublin leagues. No starry-eyed idealist but rather a tough, shrewd football politician, O'Neill was soon running this Cinderella of student sports: football was not the most fashionable of Irish middle

Searching for first editions

on cold afternoons

He established an interhouse league whose uninhibited competitiveness appealed to even the least accomplished of improving the standard of university football, these leagues were akin to searching for first editions in a secondhand bookshop. An awful lot of cold afternoons were ostensibly wasted watching bad players flail enthusiastically at each other. The odd first edition did turn up: for instance, Hugo McNeill. Alas, in the end, Hugo chose rugby and Trinity. Amid frustrations, the determined doctor

was nevertheless creating interest in football, and in himself. From his university power-base he entered the corridors of Irish football power, the distinctly unhallowed halls of Merrion Square, seat of the Football Association of ireland. There, among the butchers, bakers, candlestick makers, the doctor was soon a respected figure. He was, after all, a He set up a commission of enquiry into

Irish football; its findings are used to prop

TENNIS

No last word for

scrabble team

By Rex Bellamy Tennis Correspondent

Predictably, Marco Ostoja and

Slobodan Zivojinovie will play for Yugoslavia against Britain in the

Davis Cup tie at Devonshire Park,

Eastbourne, from September 27 to 29. Less predictably, the team will

be completed by Goran Proic and Damir Buljevic.

To English eyes it seems that all

To English eyes it seems that all four names trust have fallen off a scrabble board. Ostoja, who moved from Germany to Yagoslavia, and Zivojinovic, who did the opposit, must be respected but need not be feared. Prac and Buljevic might charitably be described as dark horses. On grass, the British team of John Lloyd, Colin Dowdeswell, Jeremy Bates and Stephen Shaw should win this relegation play-off.

up a ricketty table in Merrion Square. But O'Neill had arrived as an administrator. With an ambition: to secure premier league status for University College football. Had the league of Ireland been anything

other than the bad joke it is, O'Neill's ambition would have been outrageous. UCD had no team to speak of, but the club would be properly administered, and hot and cold running water, still not and cold running water, still something of a luxury at many League of Ireland venues, would be available at Belfield. UCD were admitted to the League of Ireland in the 1979-80 season. testimony to the good doctor's determination and the seductive value of hot and cold running water.

Any man resourceful enough to elevate UCD's Cinderella sport thus was never going to have much trouble finding a team good enough to compete in the Chicken League. This O'Neill did by persuading the college authorities to intitute a football scholarship which offers the best of Ireland's many fine young players the glittering prize of a university education in exchange for their skills. Based loosely on the American model, UCD's sports scholarship is funded by commercial sponsors.

22 youngsters have benefited from O'Neill's inspired creation. Most have laboured in a UCD team that until it won the FAI Cup last May, had made little impact on senior football. Against Everton on Wednesday, College will field a side that has benefited from O'Neill's decision of 12 months ago to lace his side with part-time pros, a response to finishing the 1982-83 season as they had finished the previous season: in the league's re-election zone.

The best of UCD's scholarship boys, Joe Hanrahan and Ken O'Docherty, will line up alongside the Chicken League veterans against Everton. Reason suggests the they will be thrashed, but Howard Kendall beware. As the rise of University College, Dublin proves, there is more to life than

Eamon Dunphy

SCHOOLS FOOTBALL

Three wins for Malvern

By George Chesterton matches the last by the odd goal in a Many schools start their match

programme today, although some have just returned from pre-season tight struggle against Victoria College. E H Gilbert, the captain, is in his fourth year in the team. tours. Charterhouse lost 2-1 to Bolton and beat Sheffield. H G King's, Chester, have only lost Pratt, as captain, follows in the footsteps of his brother and father.

Aldenham and Bradford also wen! one from last season and should be difficult to beat. P J Brownhill

Shepherd led them to victory three

captains Repton and will be looking Algenham and Bradford also went north, the latter losing to Bary and Bolton. O J Spark, one of only two old colours, is the Bradfield captain. Etcm, after last year's successes, also have two left. They had a warm-up tour in the Netherlands. Kimbolton, with eight colours, have been to Belgium and hope, with a more experienced side, to have a better season. to last year's coits who showed great promise. Wellingborough, led by J Isherwood, will be in rather the same boat in contrast to Ardingly who can call on five from last year with first team experience.

Extra time to get fit Shrewsbury is another school back from the continent; T

Luton were grateful yesterday for Brian Clough's request to switch a first division match to this Sunday. David Pleat, manager, said of the game with Noningham Forest: "We times in a five-match tour of Belgium and France. Malvern went to Jersey where they won their three our players fit." RUGBY UNION

Selectors are not popularin **Bristol**

Rugby Correspondent

iners may have been some wry laughter echoing from the Bristol clubhouse on Wednesday evening as members, reflecting upon the outstanding game they had just seen against Cardiff, contemplated the doleful fact that only two Bristol players are among the 54 named for England training at the Stoop Memorial ground tomocrows and at Memorial ground tomorrow and at

Gloucester on Monday.
Have you not room they might have suggested gently to Derek Morgan, chairman of England selectors, for Pomphrey and Hes-ford? Are not Carr and Hogg worth another look, to go with the two backs who have been asked to attend national training. Barnes and Harding? Is Morley, or is he not, still one of the country's outstanding

try-scorers?

And Mr Morgan, with an equally wry smile and a practised shrug of the shoulders, will say that all have had their chance at one time or had their chance at one time or another andhave been found wanting. He may also point out that when he watched them four days earlier at Newport, Bristol looked a different side to that which outscored Cardiff by four tries to three and yet lost 30-26.

For the thir d time in eight days Bristol meet Welsh overgition when

Bristol meet Welsh opposition when they entertain Swamen today, Barnes returns to the side after missing the Cardiff game for the removal of a tooth damaged by a removal of a tooth damaged by a punch last Saturday. The effects of that punch, only two minutes into the game, may have contributed to Bristol's inadequacies against Newport, but if Bristol do well seguent. Suppose it will be head to against Swansea, it will be hard to resist the conclusion that more than two of them deserve higher consideration.

Harlequins have Milue and Cuthbertson, their two Scotland internationals, together for the first time against Lianelli. Milne, the tight-head prop, was hoping for a more gradual return to the first-class rame, but Gary Clayton has game but Gary Clarton has tonsilitis so Milne joins a pack which includes another Scot in Lillington, on the flank. Rose, on his debut last week,

Welsh stand-off half, should place him under more pressure while Peter Morgan, the 1980 British Lion, should test the quality of Salmon and Thompson in the

Leicester side who play London Welsh at Welford Road, a Welsh zealand centre, for the first time this season. Injuries to Bradley (prop) and Hall (lock) have meant a late reshuffle for the exiles, however, Miller and Watkins joining

It has been a bectic week for Rosslyn Park, eight of whose players represented Surrey against Toulouse in France in midweek. Park make the long trip to Gosforth several will be hastening back for Surrey's meeting with Munster at the London Irish ground tomorrow.

Two west country captains.
Spurrell of Bath and Orwin of
Glouester, are injured and miss
visits to Moseley and Postyptidd
respectively. The form of Jeavons,
at No 8 for Moseley, will be
compared carefully with that of
Simpson for Bath while Linnett, highly rated when he was an England colts prop. makes his first

Scottish are set to go plundering

By David Hands

Nick Chesworth, the former Durham University stand-off half, who missed a Blue during his two years at Cambridge University, plays his first senior game for London Scottish when they visit Headingly today - a Scottish adde now operating with the buccaneering Alastair McHarg as coach.

When McHarg are retired from

Alastair McHarg as coach.

When McHarg retired from playing at the end of last season it seemed possible that he would stand back from the game for a period. Persussive tongues have been at work, however, and Oliver Grant, first team coach for several seasons, has become convenor of coaching with McHarg in charge of the club's senior side.

senior side. It is a side which has had an infusion of new blood, despite the disappointment of seeing Milne, the Scotland prop, joining Harlequins. Apart from Chesworth, last December's Cambridge centre, Patterson-Brown, has joined that other hyphenated back, Brace-Lockhart, in the threequarters and Walters, a West London Institute student, has arready made an impression on the wing with his sustained speed. If the results obtained by the under-23 team on their Far East tour, which ended this week, are any indication they bent the Korean national side 3-0 - a competition will remain

After beating Orrell last week and routping to a 37-3 win over Thurrock on Wednesday, the Scottish will travel to Headingley

Spotlight falls on under-21s

Under-21 rugby, although cherished by northern and western counties for many years, is becoming increasingly appreciated as a vehicle of transition from junior to senior rugby (David Hands writes). Last season was the first for a London clubs under-21 competition and now the midlands have joined in, with the Potterton floodlit cup, organized by the Leamington club.

This competition, whose first fixture will be on October 3 between Northampton and Learnington, involves eight clubs, four senior and four junior, and will columnate in a final on March 13. All of the games will be played at Learnington's Moorefields ground. Six senior clubs will also be participating in the Esher under-21 sevens next Wednesday, which was won last year by Bisckheath.

FOOTBALL

By Stuart Jones, Football Correspondent

their representatives were in- employers. volved in one game alone at So does Hodgson, once of Highbury) transferred itself to Liverpool and now of Sunderclub managers during the week. land, because of a strained Ron Atkinson, for instance, had to wait for medical bulletins on 10 of his Manchester United players who were on international duty on Wednesday

reported back fit, although Olsen failed to stay on for the whole of Denmark's match against Austria. He bruised an ankle a week ago and, after suffering from a recurrence of the problem, he asked the Danish manager "to take me off as a precaution because I didn't want to miss the Coventry game". He will

Nor will Duxbury, whose defensive frailties were evident again during the incisive, if only occasional, East German attacks at Wembley. The left winger brought in to test him oday is Keith Thompson, aged 19, and making his debut. His lder brother, Garry, is a regular nember of West Bromwich Albion's front line.

Mariner and Woodcock, who ained the generous praise of riticism of the public on Vednesday, are joined at good company. Sheffield Wednesday, Road by another ngland colleague, Rix, for the gling to be fit for the game against West Bromwich. lobby Robson and the general avis has figured prominently
Arsenal's climb to the top of first division, he steps

Mariner, like Allen of Tottenm Hotspur and, perhaps, lleague, Butcher, But Sunderopponents
nd, ruled out of the Ipswich Newcastle.

The fear of injuries that Town side by a calf complaint, gripped Britain's national misses the opportunity to prove managers last Saturday (16 of a point against his former

stomach muscle.

The elongated list of missing internationals threatens to be a feature of the London derbies. At Stamford Bridge, Jones, of Chelsea and Devonshire of West Ham, are out. West Ham's Martin could be absent, too. Tottenham will be without. Hoddle and Ardiles for the match at White Hart Lane against Queen's Park Rangers. Roberts and Hughton could join them, with Rangers' wart also doubtful.

McIlroy, of Stoke City, is another ailing international. Although one of his feet is in plaster, Bill Asprey has included him in a party of 14 because with such a small squad, everyone has to be called up". Davies, of Wales, may be available but will probably not even be selected by Fulham.

Sterland is vet another player to be troubled after being summoned for national service. He withdrew from England's preparations because of a foot injury and has now gone down

Howard Kendall also clearly took note of events in midweek. At Goodison Park, that is. He saw Gray and Sheedy each score twice in Everton reserves' 5-3 victory over Newcastle United. annon of Norwich City, will He immediately promoted facing his old club this them for their first full appear-ternoon. He will also be in ances of the season, dropping rect conflict with his England Sharp and Richardson. The

Anniversary test for improved Rangers By Hugh Taylor

Jock Wallace, the Rangers best balanced team in the country manager, has never yearned so much for victory as he does before today's match aginst the premier dividion leaders. Aberdeen. "A win would be the ideal end to the most dramatic but happiest year of my life", he said, reflecting that the corresponding trip to Pittodrie last season marked the first fixture of his

new reign at Ibrox.

And what a difference there is today in the outlook for Rangers.
When Wallace took over last year, gloom enveloped the club as one warning to supporters travelling to gloom enveloped the club as one depressing result followed another. There were real fears of relegation. However the bluff Wallace Rastransformed the Ibrox scene, taking the club out of the doldrums so vigourously that the supporters are already expecting a victory over Aberdeen that would put Rangers level with their opponents at the top behaviour. level with their opponents at the top

improved to such an extent that they are capable of taking two points they are capable of taking two points
from the confident, stylish Abermore channelled aggression if they
deen at Pittodrie.

more channelled aggression if they
are to have any chance of

Rangers are unbeaten so far, and occasionally there are glimpses of attractive as well as effective football. But it is by no means certain that they have the power in attack or the reliability in defence to overcome Aberdeen, who are the

Whiteside could celebrate booking repeal

report, but can take no action unless the IFA, whose president, Harry players.

Cavan, is a FIFA vice-president, Blackburn yesterday announce

and are showing improvement with

the new attitude of Rangers will make them a bigger danger to Aberdeen than they were on the last occasion Jock Wallace took his team north and saw them lose 3-0. A draw appears the most likley result, but much will depend for Aberdeen on

Realistically, there must be whether the alert Black, a forward doubts whether Rangers have who has regained his best form, is fit to lead the home attack. Celtic will have to show much

preventing the race for the championship becoming a compe tition between Aberdeen and Rangers. Their hopes of a victory over Heart of Midlothian at Parkhead wil be strengthened by the expected return of the powerful midfield player, McLeod.

England get an invitation to play Brazil

Norman Whiteside could have , Rie de Janeiro. Renter - Brazil have Norman Whiteside could have the world for the Ward Cup booking he received been invited to play friendly socret in Wednesday quashed if Northern internationals against England next Ireland appeal to FIFA. The March and Bulgaria next April, an Manchester United forward was official here said.

Manchester United forward was cautioned by the referee, Alex Ponnet, for the enthusiastic celebrations of his goal in the 3-2 win against Romania in Belfast.

But a FIFA spokesman in Zurich confirmed yesterday: "The referee seems to have made a mistake. The directive about such matches came from UEFA. It is not a FIFA rule—we allow players to celebrate—we like to see goals."

FIFA are awaiting the referee's twenty in spite of a 12 day-old report, but can take no action unless

decide to appeal.

West Ham United have given the Leeds United and former England winger Peter Barnes a "take it or miles from the ground, sponsored leave it" ultimatum after refusing to Blackbura's televised cup tie against Southhampton.

IN BRIEF

attack came to life to register goals
by Jane Emerson, Caroline Porby Jane Emerson, Caroline Porbaring and left-arm spinner, Andy
khardt, Sue Wilson, Anne McGinn,
Sophie Cullen and Linda Tobin to
MOTOR RALLYING: Jimmy make the scores level. Sue Wilson McRae, of Scotland, extended his scored the winning goal with just seconds to go.

McRae, of Scotland, extended his lead over his Opel team colleague, Russell Brookes, in the Manx

BOWLS: Brett Morley, who won his first England cap last year, has another chance to win the national under-25 championship, sponsored by Kodak, at Beach House Park, Worthing, tomorrow (Gordon Allen writes). Last year at Earthouse to the country of the country o writes). Last year at Eastbourne he lost to Gerry Smyth, the eventual runner-up, in the quarter-final round. At the same stage now, he loss foul Starters of the same stage now, he plays Paul Sharman, of Oxford. mai DRAW: J Simmons (Gerator) v P Bird 10.

CYCLING . POOTBALL

DUTCH LEAGUE: Volunders 2, Rode 1: Endhoven 5, Feyencord 1; Hausiers 1, Brecht 1; MYV Masstrict 0, Dan Boach 5; Peo Zerold 1, Groningen 4; Twenta Enschede 4, Go Aheed Engles Devenser 1: Sparts 3, Forture Start 2; Excess FOOTBALL Norwich City will offer half-price admission to their Milk-Cup second round, second leg match against Preston on October





Cutting a dash: Graham (right) crosses behind Bamberg. (Photograph: Chris Cole)

Graham proves formidable

cut in a beauty at a range of 70 yards from near the boards.

The score being 2-2 at treading in

contrived to position herself well at

No I, took a long pass from David

Gemmell and made it 3-2. Smail,

shot, following a cross by Gemmell, who narrowed the score to 4-3.

victory in the second open came as a

surprise to everyone. It was as though they had been saving their best form for this game. Their

champion, Robert Nagy, eleventh,

screaming self-abuse. By the next round, however, Calvet was leading

with Nagy, now eighth, still very unhappy with himself.

He was slightly molified by the finish, after a supreme effort on the final round which propelled him

into second place, keeping him exactly one point ahead of Calvet.

The protest against the British woman, Michelle Gall, for sailing an

allegedly illegal board, lingers on with evidence now having been

WOMEN: 1, P Way (GEQ 2, C Knoth (Br); 3, V Tisserant; 4, L Ladage (Neth); 5, J de Jong (Neth); 6, V Selles. British placings: 11, L Robinson; 15, J King.

The rain intensified by the end of the second chukka, and so, it seemed, did both sides marking.

The four semi-finals of the formidable man on the ground, who the rour semi-finals of the European Polo Academy Cham-pionships were played off at Smiths Lawn, Windsor, yesterday, under heavy showers, which meant the Canada Chabit. Guards Club's ground was cut up as never before this season. In the open section, Maidensgrove defeated Laurent-Perrier 4-3, and the BBs beat Rotherhill 8-3. In the handicap section, Los Locos won their match against Downy Fields 5½-5, and Satnam won their game against Stadmore 4½-4.

either in pony power or teamsense, between Laurent-Perrier, Johnny Kidd's youthful combination, and Lavinia Black's Maidensgrove. William Lucas, who formed a smooth forward partnership with his brother, James, opened the account for Laurent-Perrier. This was answered before the end of the first chukks by the Maidensgrove No 3. Robert Graham, the most

particular the interplay between their central duo, Alan Kent and Somerville Livingstone-Learmonth, gave them the edge. Rotherbill, who are put together by Carlos Mejia, from Chile, and whose strongest man is his compatriot Samuel

MAIDENSGROVE: 1, L. Black (2); 2, J Small (5); 3, R Graham (6); back, D Germall (3). who occupied e two position, then LAURENT-PERRIER: 1, W Lines: (3); 2, J Locis: (4); 3, J Kidd (4); back: A Bamberg. 88s: 1, C Happe (1); 2, S Liwingstone-Lear-month (4); 3, A Kent (7); back: A Film (3). Considering that all of BB's league matches ahve resulted in draws, and all of Rotherhill's in wins, the BBs' resounding 8-3

ROTHERHILL: 1, M Glue (4); 2, L Ameya (4); 3, S Moreno (6); beck, C Mejio (1). LOS LOCOS: 1, C Courage (1): 2, S Tomina (4): 3, C Tominson (4): beck, R Cutmors (3). DOWNY FIELDS: 1, N Lobel (0); 2, M Amoon (4); 3, C Forsyth (6); back, A Harper (4). SATNAM: 1, K Dhillen (1): 2, A Brodie (2): 3, Chanchward (5): back, D Walton Masters (2). SLADMORE: 1, D Pearl (2); 2, E Horswell (3); 3 J Horswell (6); back, W Glennie (1),

Demonstrating the right way to win a tough race

YACHTING

Penny Way, from Plymouth, least favourable side of the course, cored Britain's second success of Gilles Calvet was sixth at the the week when she won a formidably tough race for women in the European board sailing championships, sponsored by Captain Morgan Rum, at Weymouth, yesterday, In winds that reached 30 knots at times, Miss Way outclassed all her rivals as one by one they were

knocked flat in the vicious gusts.

Even the highly proficient Dutch women were far from happy in the conditions and both spent some time in the water at their first rounding of the leeward mark. This was where Miss Way surged into the was where Miss Way surged into the lead and, chased all the way up what proved to be the final best of a shortened course, she beat Cintia Knoth, of Brazil, by a couple of lengths. Miss Knoth moved to within a point in the overall standings of Jolands de Jong (Netherlands) who finished fifth.

They should have an interesting confrontation in today's final race, as will the lightweight men, whose series also is still open.

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Most if the series leaders were

badly caught out on the first beat of the lightweight class, choosing the

Pinta holds cup despite penalty

West Germany won the Sardinia
Cup yesterday, but by the slenderest
of margins, half a point. The win
over lady came despite a 20 per cent
penalty applied to Willit illbruck's
Finta for her foul of the British
yacht, Panda, during Thursday's
final inshore race.

day threw out Brava's protest, and
penalised Pinta but not sufficiently
to remove the German points
advantage over lady.

RESULTS: 1, W Germany 705.00 pts; 2, kay
704.50; 3, reland 653.00; 4, Span 622.00; 5,
USA 617.75; 6, Holland 657.50; 7, France
1005.10 pts; 2, kay
1005.31; 8, Sweden 408.00; 9, Swedenland
1005.10 pts; 1005.10 pts; 2, kay
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yacht, Panda, during Thursday's final mishore race.

Many thought that Panda had flown her protest flag incorrectly, among them the Italian team member, Brava, who protested to both yachts in the hope that disqualification of the Germans would secure victory for the home team.

But the international jury vester-

RUGBY LEAGUE Fulham forced to forego. home comforts

While Fulham get their Crystal Palace house in order they forego home adbantage in the first round of the Lancashire Cup, and travel to Swinton tomorrow, having switched

Fulham will include the young trialist who kicked four goals in splendid style last weekend in the vicory at Sheffield. His name is not being divulged but he is an amateur international. The county cups began last night

with St Helens given a simple looking home tie against Runcorn Highfield, and continue this afternoon with a Yorkshire Cup game between Wakefield Tranty and Bradford Northern.

Strong contenders for the Lancashire Cup this season will be Oldham, who are having a spurt of new life under their coach, the former Great Britain coach Frank Myler. They are at home to

The top game in Lancashire is at The top game in Lancashire is at Wigan, where the home side will have the services of their New Zealand captain Graeme West, following his clearance at the disciplinary committee hearing. Their opponents are last year's finalists Widnes, who crashed surprisingly at Oldham in midweek. The holders, Barrew, appear to have a comfortable home fixture in a Cumbrian derby with Carlisle.

advantage over Italy.

RESULTS: 1, W Garmany 705.00 pts; 2, limby 704.50; 3, Iraland 653.00; 4, Spain 629.00 5, USA 617.75; 6, Holland 697.50; 7, France 543.38; 8, Sweden 406.00; 9, Switzerland 398.50; 10, Papua New Gutnes 397.50; 11, UK 349.00; 12, Argentina 344.00; 13, Denmark 319.00; 14, Lusenthourg 299.50; 15, Beiglum/Greece 216.00; 16, Austria 180.50, individual standinger; 1, Container (U Libor) WG: 2, Nitiseiras (J McWilliam) ire; 3, Brava p Landolfi) it; 4, Scaramouche (J Batta) US; 5, Pinia (W Struck) GW: 6, Almagores (D Deaver) ir In Yorkshire, the holders Hall In Yorkshire, the holders Hall drop four players as "a disciplinary measure" for unstated reasons. The four are Lee Crooks, Steve Nocton, Paul Prendiville and the New Zealander Gary Kemble. Although these are important players, Hull's strength in depth should see them through against Hallfax. Castleloid are home to Leeds and both clubs need victory after surprising defeats. Best British: 18, Pands (P Whipp: 33, need victory after surprising defeats Constance of Lymington (C Marting: 45, last week.

FOR THE RECORD

Tapia 70, 68; G Watine 68, 68; J Garataide 89, 72). WALES, 411 P Parkin 73, 67; C DeFoy 70, 70; D Liewellyn 68, 77; I Woosnam 65, 71; Stormy reception

for finalists

SECOND ROUND RESULTS

Lyle-gives Scots

the edge and

reaps his reward

golfers from England and and meeting in the final of the

Scotland gained a slight psychological advantage by leading the 10 mations with a total of 394, 32 under

per, in the 36-hole stroke play qualifying event England, however,

mished only one stroke adrift, with

the best three scores out of four being aggregated in each round. So Scotland will meet Spain, who

SO SCHMAN WILL MEET SPAIN, WHO insisted fourth on 406, and England will tackle Ireland, third on 402, in the semi-finals today, when the tournament reverts to match play.

With each game consisting of two fourballs and four singles, there is the prospect of two exhiberating

contests.

Scotland, ably anchored by Bernard Gallacher, who pieced together a 68, were galvanised by the rejuvenated Sandy Lyle. In two rounds Lyle has not committed a single error to his cost, and his 65 enabled him to win the individual factorization of 6000 with a second of

irst prize of £4,000 with a score of

I vie is rarely blessed with the best

of forme on the greens. For once, however, he enjoyed the pleasure of seeing his ball disappear into the

O'Cornor Jnr 66, 70). 4, SPAIN 406 (J Pivero 71, 75; J-M Cafizares 68, 72; M Calero 66, 87; A

A succession of thanderstorms at the American no further room for Sudhury yesterday caused the final manocuvre, of the women's professional match-play championship, sponsored by two semi-fin Lorne Stewart, to be postponed until today. An attempt was made to squeeze the match, involving Mickey Walker and Jane Conna-

Mickey Walker and Jane Conna-chan, in between the downpours, but they had to be called in after only one hole, halved in five.

When the two players and a sizeable galkery reached the green, the rain was again beating a steady tattoo on the raised umbrellas, and the wretched conditions were characterized by Mice Wellberg whin characterised by Miss Walker's chip, which barely made the green, and Miss Connachan's first putt, which

cooted from five or six feet on one ide of the hole to almost the same distance on the other. Happily, she made the second part, for a hair was

Apart from a delayed start,

The most exciting tustle through-out the day, apart from that for the individual crown, was for fourth place. Spain eventually wriggled clear of Wales and France, with Manuel Calero raising his game at

7, REST OF WORLD, 416 (P Terevision 74, 72; D Froat 69, 71; M Clayton 67, 73; J Gorzalez, 65, 72).

8, SWEDEN 419 (O Selberg 74, 68; Kinel 72, 74; A Forsbrand 71, 66; Perseon 71, 71).

interruption and without either American surviving against staturch British efforts. Miss Walter beat Peggy Conley on the last green, and Miss Connachan best Nancy Holns by two and one... Miss Walker must have suffered

ations when Miss Conly won perphanious when Miss Conry won three holes in a row from the 12th to level. Suddenly pulled back to all square, Miss Walker faced a crisis which she met with admirable fortitude. After three halves in solid par, Miss Walker answered the American birdie four at the 18th (395 yards) with a theatrical flourish. She hit a six-iron to 25 feet and holed the putt for an eagle three.

Miss Hoins lost her chance at the
15th, missing a putt from five feet,

Fine win for Miss Grice as title is retained

By Lewine Mair

England retained their title in the 30 to November 2. The team, which Women's home international at Gwllane yesterday when they beat Ireland 7-2 to gain their third win. Scotland, whose Gillian Stewart had the best individual tally with five points out of six, finished cunners-

up after a 5 1/2-3 1/2 win over Wales. In the morning foursomes England's Claire Waite and Linda Bayman recovered from having been four down after two holes, to

Miss Grice had a memorable win over Mary McKenna while England's other singles points came from Julie Brown, Miss. Waite and Miss Davies. Playing her first international, Miss Brown took two and a half points from her three matches, while Miss Davies took four out of five, a tally matched only by Linda Bayman among the

English. Miss Grice, Miss Waite and Gillin Stewart (Scotland) were named last night as the players who will represent Great Britain and

ireland in the Espirito Santo tournament (world team championtournament (world team champion-ships) in Hongkong from October

England in a win

is to be captained by the 1983 British Champion, Gill Thornhill, has Claire Hourihane (Ireland) and Vick: Thomas (Wlaes) as reserves.

GULLANE RESILTS: England v Ireland (English names first): Four-somes: C Walts and L Bayman halved with C Hourinarie and S C'Brien Kenney; P Grice and J Thornhill bt M McKenna and M Madill, 4 and 3; L Davies and P Johnson bt L Behan and K MacCann, 5 and 4. Foursames Residt: England 2½, Instand 3; Singles: Walte bt Hourinaris, 3 and 2; Grice bt McKenna, 3 and 2; Thornson halved with MacCann; Davies to Madill, one hole; J Brown bt E Haggins, 3 and 2; Johnson halved with MacCann; Davies to Citrien Kenney, 3 and 2 singles Reseat: England 4½, Irstand 1½, Match Reseat: England 4½, Irstand 1½, Match Reseat: England 7, Irstand 2, S Gallagher H Biogs, 6 and 5; Hope bt S Thomas, 5 and 4, Singles Reseat: Scotland 4, Wises 2, Match Reseat: Scotland 5½, Wales 3%.

Scotland v' Weise (Scotlish names Bratt-Ferranders: G Stevart and A Genorali bt S Roberts and T Thomas, 5 and St. I Hope and F Anderson lost to V Thomas and M Rawlings, 2 and 1; B Robertson and P Whigh helved with A Briggs and S Thomas. Foursecesse Resulti-Scotland 115, Wales 15, Singles: Stevart bt Roberts, 3 and 1; Genmill lost to V Thomas, 2 and 1; K Innie lost to Rawlings, 5 and 4; S Gallegher bt Briggs, 6 and 5; Hope bt S Tromas, 5 and 4, Singles Result: Scotland 4, Wales 2, Sletch Besult: Scotland 5%, Wales 315.

Scotland gained a convincing win over Ireland, the holders, at the inert's amateur golf house international at Troom yesterday.

Results: Scotland a lesterday in the lesterday in the

YACHTING

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GOLF

Mil. WALKEE: Greater Milwestore Open: First round: (US unless estated): 54: W Stackburn. 65: D Pohl. 68: G Helberg. 67: G Archer, M Micolette, M O'Meera, D Douglas, C Pevin, D Hammond, W Kratzert. 68: P Stewart, T Watson, J Netford (Carl), P Exiger, R Nuckols, K Fergus, W Sander, B Fitton, S Weithe.

SAPPORO, Japane: Open tournessent: Second round leaders: (Japanese unless stated): 138: P tournitews, St. 68: Tills T Tulchann. 71. 69: M Kusskabe, 76: 69: M Czald, 67, 72. 148: K Arti, 69: 71; Chen Tzo-Min (Tal), 63: 71. KSHT, Washington: L PQA tournessent: First round: (US unless stated): 68: M Figuenza-Dotfi, M Spancer-Devils: 68: B Devin, P Misson (See), L Stroney, 68: K Whiterorts. 78: L Cooke-Perfer, R Walton, J A Washington: YACHTING

The danger could be the Barry Hills filly Only, a seven length winner at Windsor. She will be ridden by Barry's son Michael, who rode a 12-1 winner Salala at

Northern Trick to trump rivals

hole from six yards on three occasions, and from 12 yards for an eagle three at the long 13th. Since he also hit every green in regulation, Lyle thoroughly deserved his prize. Howard Clark's revival con-tinued, his 63 putting him only one stroke behind Lyle. A susting wind transformed the course into a more next month's Prix de l'Arc de transformed the course into a more formidable examination than on the opening day. Clark applied himself, to the task in good style. He took until the seventh (480 yards) to make a significant impression, rolling a putt of fully 30 feet himse for an eagle three, and thereafter his tally included six birdies. plenty of recent rain it may be unwise to leave the mudiaric, Pampa Bella, out of calculations. Others in with a chance in this group are Roise De Grace and the Italian filly,

Reine De Grace and the Italian filly, Paris Royal.

By no means the most attractive filly in training, Northern Trick pained a spottagether victory in the Prix de Diane Hermes (French Onio) when site deficated Grise Misse by five imagins with Partipa Bella three lengths away third. Northern Trick showed her well-being recently by giving weight and a beating to Ibadiyya and Treiziethe is the Prix de la Nonette.

Since winning the Gold Seal Onics, Circus Plume, the mount of Lester Piggot, has run second to Princess Pati in the Gillhown Stud Irish Onics and most recently was an Ireland comfortably estand third-place with the assistance of a 63-from Roman Rafferty. It was a little surprising to discover that the lowest round that he has ever compiled was 66. Now be has broken that barrier, with seven birdies and an tagle on his card.

irish Oaks and most recently w Irish Oaks and most recently was an inspressive winner of the Vorkshire Oaks from Kanz and Ballinderry. Pat Eddery will ride Ballinderry, whose best offert came when the took the Ribblesdale Stakes at Royal Accept.

Considering she was cast in her hax 48 hours before the Friz de la Nonette. Treiziethe ran a courageous race to finish third. The daughter of The Minstrel was proviously unbeates in four races which included the Grand Criterium and being a Brushe. which induced the Grane Crist-rium and Prix de Psyche.

Notither Grise Mine and Pampa Bella have run since the Disne. Grise Mine began her season by taking the Prix Vanicaux and finished ahead of the inexperienced Northern Trick in the Prix Saint. Northern Trick in the Prix Saint-Alary, Panna, Bella was her first group rice in March with the landed the Prix Penelope before finishing third in the Saint-Alary,

The Aga Khan will be represented by either Ibadiyya or Idara who finished third to Marie De Litz in the Prix de Pomone. The runner-up in that race was Reine De Grace resopetively the winner and runne up in the Oaks d'Italia in May.

Lovely Dracer and Darly, who fought out the Prize in Priace D'Orange a year ago, could both be involved in the finish again tomorrow, Lovely Dancer won over the course and distance when he took the Prix D'Harcourt in April and will have the soft ground that

and will have the soft ground that the likes.
Finally the Prix La Rochette may be wealthy Orosao from Farefox and the English Visitor, Troy Fair.

Patrick Biancone, All Alg's trainer, said of the filly yesterday.
"She worked brilliantly this morning and will make her seasonal debut in the Turf Classic, She could desire the property of the property still come back to France for the Arc de Triomphe".

Longchamp fields

CIRCUS PLIME 9-2 RENE DE GRACE 8-2 GRAMMENE 9-2 211 NORTHEINE TRICK 9-2 C ADMASSE.

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112 GRISE BRIE 9-2 F Nead
400 ENVE DE RINE 9-2 G Debroeucq
7-4 Northern Trick (coupled with Grammane
or Perdoni), 7-2 Grise Mine, 5 Circus Plume,
11-2 Tretzleme.

PRIX LA ROCHETTE (group 14: \$13,201: 2-y-0:

5-2 Exactly Right, 8 Cromo, 9-2 Firefox, 8 Keen, Sensitive Love, 10 Troy Fair. PRIX DU PRINCE D'ORANGE (group 12: 213.201: 1m.21) GOO

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404 DAPPER MOSS 3-8-9 G Asmusen
004 POLLY'S ARK 3-8-3 C Asmusen
005 MOSTHERN FRED 3-8-9 W Carson 5-2 Lovely Dancer, 3 Fby Me, 5 Alys, 6 Darly. 8 Polly's Ark, 16 Legend Of France.

Park Appeal to extend unbeaten run

By Our Irish Correspondent

Park Appeal, whose half sister Desirable finished second in last year's Moyglare Stud Stakes at The Curtagh is fancied to go one better in the Group I juvenile fillies event. Park Appeal is unbeaten in two starts and although her form was let down when Periferique finished unplaced to Cameronn at the Phoenix last Saturday there were legitimate excuses for that noor legitimate excuses for that poor howing.
Jim Bolger had no less than

cighteen entries from which choose and Declan Gillespie out of action

The danger could be the Barry The BBA Ireland Goss National

Stakes, won last year by Et Gran Senor, should resolve itself into yet another duel between Vincent O'Brien and his son, David. Law Society, trained by Vincent, is the probable favourite but he was

not over impressive in either of his starts to date and I prefer David's runner, Concert Hall, who comfortably upset the highly touted Futher Matthew in the Tyros Stakes over this course and distance.

The Gilliown Stud Fillies Stakes has arreduced a supersingly good. has produced a surprisingly good internation line-up with Clare Bridge (L Balding) Trianonal (P Walwyn) and Verchinina (B. V. Hills) coming from England and Alloy (R. Collet) from France. The

iast named has won three of her first lisst named has won times or ser time five starts but she may not be able to hold off Clare Bridge who found the distance of the Irish Oaks beyond her, but who had previously finished a close second to the smart Reine Mathilda at Longchamp.

The lacrosse heroines

England pulled off a remarkable Sharmen (Odord City and C 9-8 victory over the United States (Standers) v J Squires (Finet Sociel); I Langle (STC/STL, Harlow) v M Fowler (Corty Forest). the first international lacrosse CRICKET: Nottinghamshire, are match at Liverpool Cricket Club retaining the complete staff which yesterday (Peter Tatlow writes).

The Americans had five goals in county championship. Next season, the opening ten minutes, but then England's defence took command.

Good marking relieved the pressure and, in the second half, the England the local batsman, Russell Evans.

TOUR DE L'AVENDR: Musin siage (Luction-Lourdes, 83 mises; 1, Yaroshchenko (USSR) 3ar 55min 15aec; 2, P Bouvetter (Fr); 3, J Skots (Cr); 4, E Van Lancier (Bell; 5, A Boherquez (Col); 6, C Motter (Fr); 7, L Blondi (Fr); 8, R Morraya (Col); 9, I france (USSR) at 205290; 10, A Aristizabel (Col) 3:55044.

SPEEDWAY

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11); Walkist EDOR't Windshoon 44 (J Danis 10.
K Tatum 10, M Stranons 9), Reading 34 (M
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I Humphreys 8), Hackney 22, (R Peters 9, M
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NATIONAL LEAGUE: Hackney v Cantactury,
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MOTOR RALLYING
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Positions after 20 sterges: 1, J McRes/M
Nicholson (Opel Manta 400), 2tr 00min 00esc;
2, R Brookes/M Broad (Opel Manta 400),
202.33; 3, B Fisher/A Prazer (Opel Manta 400),
207.44; 4, A Porto/R Arthur (Nover Vitesse),
208.5; 5, C Boton/O Ervine (Vauchall Chevette
HSR), 208.17 HOCKEY RUALA LUMPUR: Junior World Cup Graiffer: Asse-Cleans Greeze Palcistan S, New Zestland 1; South Korea 4, India 8; Bangladech 3, Hongkong 1. Pekisten, India, Australia and Maleysia quality. Semi-fami inne up: Pakistan v Australia; India v Maleysia. ICE HOCKEY

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Neebury (Males) bt M Fisher (Bedford) 5-0.
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(Skegness) 5-3; E McLaughin (Glesgow) bt S
Longworth (Blackoury) 5-2; M Gauryseu (Car)
bt R Foldert (Jus) 5-2; D O'Kare (NE) bt W
Keffy (Aus) 5-4. Shootport M Bradley
(Worksop) bt F Jonik (Car) 5-1; R Bales
(Birmingham) wo J Wych (Car) ser

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MOTOR RALLYING

WEYMOUTH: Europea Championables: State races: Lightensights: 1, G Calest (Fr); 2, R Nacy (Fr); 3, E Selot (Fr); Heavyweights: 1, A Bringdal (Swe); 2, H Flegeln (Fr); 3, E Van Dan Berg (Neth. Womes: 1, P Way (GE); 2, G Knoth (Er); 3, V Taserant (Fr). LUS ANGELLES: Grand Prix Tournsment Third round: J Connors (US) bt Tom Guillann (US), 8-3, 8-4; B Marson (US) bt Tim Mayotis (US), 2-6, 7-8, 6-4; B Marson (US) bt Tim Mayotis (US), 2-6, 7-8, 6-4; B Tottscher (US) bt S Mayer (US), 6-1, 6-3; P Flening (US) bt L Bourne (US), 7-4, 6-1; D Guide (US) bt D Visser (SA), 3-8, 6-2, 7-6, 5-1; D Pala (US) bt W Masur (Aus), 6-1, 4-6, 6-2; J Franciso (Aus) bt T Moor (US), 8-3, 8-2. TELAVIC Grand Belt imments Comment

Frenchiv (Aus) bt T Moor (US), 6-3, 6-2.
TEL-AVIV: General Pitz: berneument: Counterfloate: A Microstein (US) bt J Hassel. (Switz) 3-6.
7-6, 6-2; 5 Perids (Lsr) bt 8 Lavine (SA) 6-1; 6-5; A Merredorf (Lsr) bt 16 Flar (US) 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; R Green (US) bt 5 Glickstein (Lsr) 6-4, 6-1; 8 mail-floate: S Perids (Lsr) bt A Microstorf (Ls), 6-2, 4-1 for R Green (US) bt A Microstorf (Ls), 6-2, 4-1 for R Green (US) bt A Microstorf (Ls), 6-2, 6-4; SALT LAKE CITY: Utan Ginety tournement: Third research (US) bt J Golder (US), 3-6, 6-4, 6-1; E Miner (US) bt J Golder (US), 3-6, 6-2, 6-1; A Miner (US) bt P Sentin (US), 5-7, 6-1, 6-2.

CHO BERNARDO, CALIFORNIA: test's exhibition metata: C Lloyd (US) by M atliova (US) 6-2, 7-6. BOXING ATLANTIC CITY: Middleweight: Viso Antuolismo (US) it Richard Berank (US) in successful both both pours too bediv at to continue; Antuolismo awended **SQUASH RACKETS**

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KUALA LLARPUR: Melanyalan men's open tournement, Taird round: Q Zaman (Paid tx D Lloyd (Eng) 9-2, 9-4, 4-9, 4-9, 9-0; S Boudich (Aust) tx H Bodinneed (Eng) 9-2, 5-8, 7-2, 9-1, 10-5; G Pollard (Aust) tx F Johnson (Swa) 9-10, 9-6, 9-2, 9-5; K Smith (Aust) tx F V Sodistberg (Bwe) 9-1, 9-10, 10-4, 9-0; Faston Cad (Paid) tx Zaintal Abidin (Singapore) 9-4, 9-5, 9-4 Magdi Sand (Egypt) tx Usurs Hayat (Paid) 9-2, 1-9, 9-5, 9-0; G Brumby (Aust) tx Hayat (Paid) 9-2, 1-9, 9-5, 9-6, 9-0; Magacod Ahmad (Paid) tx Jamesed Cad (Paid) 9-3, 9-0, 8-3.

QUARTER-PRIALS: Faider Cad (Paid) tx Jamesed Cad (Paid) 8-3, 9-4, 9-5, 9-4, 9-9-4, 10-9, 9-7, 9-9, 9-4, 9-9-4, 9-7, 9-0.

LACROSSE TERPOOL: Women: First Test: England 9, MODERN PENTATHION FONTAMERILEAI: Silliumy World Champion-shipe: Individual swent: 1, P. Four. (F1, 5.484 pp; 2, D. Glannesk, (ES, 5.482; 8, 8 Muller (WG), 5,407; 4, P. Stelmmahn Shultz, 5,301. Teast; 1, US 18,027; 2, Sultzerland 16,005; 3, France 15,574; 4, West Calmany 15,578.

BASEBALL L LEAGUE: Pittsburgh Piraten 14, Nota 4: Philadelphia Philips 10, St.

LANGE: Women's World Salling Characterships: Double handed class 47th Second mose 1, K Johnson/G Johnson (Carl); 2, E Laterun/S Berge (Fr); 3, G Brisnel/C Fountaine (Fr), Single handed class, later: Second mose: (Reads subject to protest; 1, A Fryer (SB; 2, L Johneld (US); 3, C Shaw (Carl), Ballboards: Billetial (Results of both receipt: 1, S Patel (UZ); 2, V Chartler (Fc; 3, L Neuberger (US).

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W. B. Sharbourn 2 (Green, red spaulets, red cap) 1962: Sun Princess 8-11 W Carson (11-9 fav) W Hern 18 ran.
7-4 Commanche Run, 2 Baynoun, 5 Alphabelin, 8 Crazy, 10 At Talec, 12 Shamazar, 25 Get The Message, Mont Basile, 38 Prime Assatt, 100 Destroyer, 200 Librate.

Form guide to final classic

FORM AT TALAQ short head 2nd (8-5) ito Abary (9-7) in 1m 4f German group 1 race last time, previously (8-71) work Longchamp group 1 race by a short-nack from Wodskin (8-11) (1m 7m. 287/129, firm, June 24, 11 ran). In the Epsom Derby AT TALAQ (9-0) had been 4 1/2 4th and ALPHABATIM (9-0) another 1 1/2 away 5th of 17 to secreto (9-0) (1m 4f, 2227/580) good, June 6). On an earlier outing ALPHABATIM (9-0) had been easy 61 Lingfield scorer from GET THE MESSAGE (9-0) (1m 4f, 2260/72, good, May 12, BAYNOUN (8-5) ran on strongly to defeat ALPHABATIM (6-4) 31 at Newbury (1m 5f, 222/156, good, Aug 18, 5-ran). COMMANCHE RUN unchallenged when 15f witners (9-5) from Kaytu (9-5) lest time, previously (8-10) impressive 5i goodwood group winner form Shernazar (8-10) (1m 4f, 219,568, good to firm, July 31, 8 ran). CRAZY (8-13) held on by a head from Centroline (8-3) in tote-ebor handicap (1m 6f, 224/405, good to firm Aug 22, 154 ran). DESTROYER (8-11) 4i 3rd of 10 to broadleaf (8-3) in Newbury handicap (1m 4f, 25696, good, Aug 18). LiBRATE (9-10 neck 2nd of 5 to inchgower (8-6 in Brighton handicap (1m 4f, 21,314, firm, Aug 30). MONT BASILE 8th (8-10) to Ti King (8-5) in Im 51/2 group race last time (8-7) one-placed 4th, beaten 41/2 and PRIME ASSETT (8-7) another 81/2 back in 8th behind Rainbow Quest at York (1m 4f, 231,707, good to firm, Aug 22, 7 ran). Selection COMBANCHE RUN

ommanche Run to walk tall Young Runaway has

capable of giving his trainer dispute that he possesses the Luca Comani his first taste of requisite stamina but that is not success in a British classic and Lester Piggott a record twenty eighth by winning the Holsten Diet Pils St Leger at Doncaster today, in spite of that slight hiccup at Newmarket on Wednesday when he fell and grazed

On principle I do not go for horses in a big race whose preparation has been interrupted for whatever reason, but that slight injury to Commanche Run occured too late to affect his chance in my opinion. That is borne out by the fact that Commanche Run has exercised normally every day in' the meantime. Today's good ground should also suit him.

If Commanche Run does

measure up to my expectations Piggott, who has won the St Leger six times already, will finally beat Frank Buckle's record of twenty seven classic successes. I can think of happier circumstances in which to pass that landmark because there is widespread sympathy for the American jockey Darrel McHargue who has been jocked off Commanche Run McHargue by Piggott at the request of the coit's owner Ivan Allen, a longtime friend of Piggott's. But that is another matter, a question of taste and ethics which do not

With Librate in the field to set a fierce gallop for Alphaba-tim today's race will certainly develop into a searching test. By winning the March Stakes, over a mile and three quarters at Goodwood last month. Com-

really enter into the world of

Commanche Rim looks manche Run proved beyond surprising as he is by Ardross' sire, Run The Gantiet. Whether Petrizzo, who 'won'

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the Doncaster Cup on Thursday, can be regarded as a reliable yardstick in view of his record is open to question but the fact still remains he finished twenty lengths behind Commanche Run at Goodwood but only eight lengths behind Baynoun in the Geoffrey Freer Stakes at Newbury.

Despite that I still regard Baynoun as the main danger this afternoon, knowing that he has been trained by Fulke Johnson-Houghton solely with today's race in mind ever since he-won the Queen's Vase at Royal Ascot in June.
Having won the St Leger twice already Johnson-Houghton certainly knows what

he is on about. So does At Talag's trainer, Harry Thomson Jones, The victories of Athens Wood in 1971 and Touching Wood in 1982 were evidence of that. Having won the Grand Prix de Paris At Talag is another with proven stamin However he does appear to lack the zip that Commanche Run showed at Goodwood in July when he turned the Gordon Stakes into a procession. Nevertheless, At Talaq still appears to have the beating of the French runner Mont Basile on their Grand Prix running. Alphabatim disappointed me badly when he was thrashed by Baynoun at Newbury. So

has begun to put her act together at long last. From a betting point of view I regard Prince Sabo (nap) as although Greville Starkey has the banker of the day to land the chosen to ride him instead of Flying Childers Stakes even Guy Harwood's other runner.

Doncaster results

Going: good 2.0 CHARITY DAY SELLING HANDICA (23,200: 1m)

SINGLE MELODY on g by Northfields-Meldoy (R Sangster) 3-5-2-5 Thomson

Also ran: 10 fev Irish Cavaser, 12 Tree Fells, Jump Jar, 14 Dancing Vasterins (881). Ensistenció, Hopesial Waters, Late Hour, Teoley, 16 Bedimina, Cudgel, On Edge, 20 Setrabel Geragisty, Bolders, Captain Bounty, Lease Of Life, Top Of The Stretch, 25 Our Birthday, Syhoot (881), 33 Triad Trable, Moon Melody, Algase, Phry Quid Short, Major Mark, 27 ran. 3, 74, 174, 2, an hd. J. W Water at Richmont TOTE: Whit 255,60. Places: 25,70, 22.70, 28.10, 21,70. DP: 222.50. CSP. 2182.20. Tricast: 23,557,85. 1m 42,58ecc. Sold to K Carlson for \$3,000 gainess.

2.35 SWETTENHAM STUD STAKES (3-7-0 maiden Sies: £3,200: 71)

Also Ran: 2 few Rosolio, 5 Lightning Legacy (48th, 12 Sweep On, 14 Game For A Lingh (6th), Lednethie, Why The Bustle, 20 Al Saints Day, Durk-Ambor, Thatchova, Git Star. 25 Baryls Dream, Secto, 35 Formido (5th), Northgate Lady, Tatisan, 18 mn. 4, sh-ldt, 51 15(, sh-hd. 8 feanbury at Newmarkst.

TOTE: Win: £18.00. Places: £3.90, £3.90 £3.50. DF: £440.80. CSF: £181 18. 1 min 22 £2

(E3,200: 1m 4)
PRST BOUT b g by Mishapour - Right
Swinger (Exors Capt A Rogers) 3-7-13
M Hille (15-2) 1
Temple Bar b c by Tower Walk - Miss
Jovian (Bandays Hotels Ltd) 4-8-2
P Robinson (4-1)

ALSO RAN: 9-2 Stratheam (4th, 6 Phyling Scottsman, 19 Grand Unit (5th), Missiand Ball (5th), 25 Connexyjo, 33 Turkoman. 9 ran. 11, nk, 7, 10, 3. 8 Hambury at Newmantas.

TOTE Wer 21.30. Pages 22.70, 21.60, pp. 223.30, CSP: 238.59, 2 min 38.34

YOUNG RUNAWAY b c by Generati Mauritania (S Marchos) 9-0

Mauritania (S Nearchos) 9-0 Starkey (5-2) Sharp Rossance b c by Sharpen Up - Sir hors' Favour (Sheith Rashid Al Khalis) 8-0

ALSO RANG 4 Zaizzton (43h), 7 Kohayi: (Sch), 86 Artier Rillis, 6 ma. 28, 1 kJ, hd, 71, 2 kJ. Harwood et Pulborouch.

Harwood at Pustorough.
TOTE: Wire 23.50, Places: £1.70, £2.40. DP £13.30, £67; £21.75. 1 min 26.81 sec. After a stewards' inquiry, the result stood.

4.10 TROY STAKES (3-y-o: £3.200: 1m 4f)

Classic contenders: Commanche Run and Lester Piggott

still be said that he has to prove that he is as good as he was before that virus swept through his Pulborough stable in May. If Commanche Run is successful his trainer and owner could see Capricorn Belle put the finishing touches to an unforgettable day by winning the Sceptre Stakes now that she

the Ebor winner Crazy, it must though his opposition included Doulab, the winner of the Gimerack Stakes at York last month. I also regard Prince Sabo's

victory at Newmarket in July as being one of the most impress-ive of the season in the

circumstances and those cir-

cumstances involve difficulties

such as being boxed in in a fivefurlong sprint. Paul Cole, whose stable is in such irrepressible form, runs his promising Cadmium in the

Chromacopy Stakes at Goodwood but I prefer Royal Coach.

eyes on Dewhurst

By Michael Seely

Runaway at Doncaster yesterday. Brought up the stands rails with a well-timed run by Greville Starkey, Spyros Niarchos's Young Generation colt quickened away from his rivals in the last furlong to beat Sharp Romance by two lengths with Zaizafon one and a half lengths away third. This victory gave Guy Harwood a repeat performance of his triumph with Lear Fan in the

race last year.

Only the winner and Sharp Romance escaped trouble in a remarkable race. Petoski, after being a trifle slow to leave the stalls, was hampered twice by Zaizason and Steve Cauthen, once at halfway and for the second time just inside the two-furlong marker. The stewards held an inquiry, but although they decided that interference had occurred they took the view that the trouble was accidental and allowed the placings to remain unahered.
Willie Carson, the jockey on the

13-8 favourite, can be excused his justifiable outburst. "I wouldn't have believed it possible to have got into so much trouble in a six-runner race". Indeed it must be long odds. against any animal being knocked sideways by a horse hanging to his left and then being denied a clear run a little later by the same

run a fittle later by the same offender veering to his right.

However, Petoski caused most of his own trouble by his inability to accelerate at a vital stage of the race and Young Runaway has undoubtedly inherited much of the speed of his sire, Young Generation. "I've always rated the colt highly", said Harwood. "He was beaten by a good filly in Oh So Sharp in the Solario Stakes at Sandown. In any case he Stakes at Sandown. In any case he definitely needed that race as the two-year-old had been off the track for over three months. We'll now have a go for the Dewhurst." The Pulborough trainer then said

A superior burst of finishing that Lear Fan remains on target for speed won the Laurent Perrier the Breeders' Cup mile event at Champagne Stakes for Young Runaway at Doncaster yesterday. winner of Goodwood's Waterford Crystal Mile, would take on Mendez in the Prix de la Foret on October 28 Harwood concluded by saving that Alphabatim and Crazy are both in fine fettle for their attack on this afternoon's St Leger. "Both horses are in tremendous shape, but I wouldn't want any more rain for either of them".

Young Runaway was bought, by Sir Philip Payne-Galwey for 680,000 francs (£56,200) as a yearling at Deauville on behalf of the Niarchos family, "I think Guy is pretty lucky to have this horse", said the BBA representative. Francois Boutin said that as the colt was not eligible for French breeders' prizes, he might as well be trained in England."

well be trained in England."
It was an afternoon that Cauthen will want to forget. Apart from his troubles on Zaizafon, the champion jockey put up 3lb overweight on Mpani, only to be beaten a head by Lester Piggott on Braka, The 11 times champion jockey rode one of his most artistic races on Charles St George's Lyphard colt, "He has to be fed down to the start and then ridden like that", said George Winsor, Henry Cecil's travelling head lad. "The moment you give

Braka his head, he's gone.

The other feature of the afternoon was a magnificent double for Ben Hanbury, the Newmarket trainer winning the Swettenham Stud Stakes with Scalala and the Gibbs Hartley Cooper Handicap with First Bout, who produced too much speed for Temple Bar and Caro's Gift. Michael Hills was seen to great advantage on both winners.

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DONCASTER.

[Televised: 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.20]

Draw: 5f, 8f, high numbers best Tote double: 2.45, 4.55. Treble: 2.15, 3.20, 4.25 1.45 HOLSTEN FOR LADIES STAKES (Lady amateurs: £4,110: 1m 2f 50vd) (10 runners) 101 010004 SHAADY (B) (Prince Yazid Saxxi) Mrs J Pitraen 5-10-6Amanda Harvey 102 022140 SOCKS UP (R Houghton) R Johnson Houghton 7-10-6 Gale Johnson Houghton

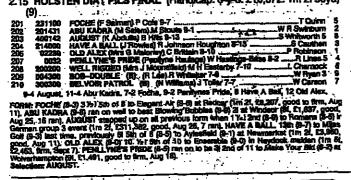
5-4 Knight's Benner, 5 Society, 6 Barria Baby, 8 Shaady, 10 Laysh, 16 Moody Girl, big regimes Bermer, a Society, is Barrie Baby, 8 Shasdy, 10 Layah, 16 Moody Girl, FROM: SOCKS UP. (8-13) 8h of 12 beaten over 13-yi behind Caro's Gift (8-7) at Kempton (1in 41, 22775, pool, Sapt 8). BARRIE BABY (9-4) beats Gunner's Bable (8-5) by 4 with sHANDY (10-0) a further 11 away in 4th at York (9t, 22468, good to firm, Sept 6, 5 ram). Before that, BARRIE BABY (9-7) and of 7 beaten 4 y'al by Hoden Destiny (9-5) with BOY SANDFORD (8-2) a further head away in 4th at Newcastle (3m 21, 2307) good to firm, Aug 25). LVP287 (9-7) is at of 8 beaten 10 -yi behind Hot Rodder (9-7) at Newcastle (8f 27618, good to firm, Aug 25), LVBGRTS BANNER (8-7) 6th of 17 beaten (act over 2) behind (RNG OF CLUBS (8-12) at York (8f, 217118, good to firm, Aug 23). SOOSJÖY (9-0) beat Claissanno (9-7) by 11 at Brighton (1cn 21, 21760, firm, Aug 30, 8 ran).

Doncaster selections

By Mandarin 1.45 Knight's Banner. 2.15 Abu Kadra. 2.45 PRINCE SABO(nap). 3.20 Commanche Run 3.55 Swinging Rebel. 4.25 Capricorn Belle. 4.55 Bronze

By Our Newmarket Correspondent. 1.45 Kenghr's Banner, 2.15 Abu Kadra, 2.45 Doulab. 3.20 Communche Run. 3.55 Ballad Island. 4.25 Capricorn Belle. 4.55 Reveille. 1.45 Knight's Banner, 2.45 Doubb: 3.20 COMMANCHE RUN (nap).

2.15 HOLSTEN DIAT PILS FINAL (Handicap: 3-y-o: £10,672: 1m 2f 50yd)



GOODWOOD

(Televised: 2.0, 2.30, 3.0)

GOING: good to soft Draw: high numbers best Tote: Double 3.0, 4.0. Treble: 2.30, 3.30, 4:30. 2.0 OXO STAKES (amateurs: £2,299; 1m) (15 runners)



Others.

FORBE URST TERT (9-3)-basten: 7-1 by Queen's Royale (9-5) at Warwick (81, 2825, good to firm, Aug 27, 12 ran): POLLO BOY (6-2) basten 3 when 2nd of 10 to Johnole (6-6) at Goodwood (81, 12426, good, Sep 27). SPOT THE PATCH (7-7) 6th of 7, beaten just over 30, to Coules Queen (6-5) at Verificial (in 41, 28304, good to firm, Aug 23). JOLI WARTS (9-5) 5th of 15, beaten 137-1, to Milass (6-6) at Windoor (in 31, 21684, good to firm, Aug 33, QUESTELLA (8-10) basten 1 7-1 by (8pontate 8-4) at Newtonshie (8-14262 good to firm, Aug 35, 13 rans, RALIESTRANO (9-6)-6th of 22 basten 12 for 10 bastenis (8-8) at Windoor (8-9) at Windoor (7-9) at 1813, good, 60, 90, 709/188444 (8-11) at 1814 of 8 to Destenis Reflected (8-9) at Windoor (8-9) at 1814, but is 1893, bastalant De COOMSE (8-11) 4th of 11, beaten 87-1, to Pendod (8-11) at Yermouth (8t, 21120; good to firm, Aug 22), PRINCESS FOSSUM (8-5) 57-1 5rd of 17 to Suraps 2 Owlet (8-9) at Nothingham (81, 22815, firm, Sep 10).

Selection: RIMAH.

Goodwood selections By Mandarin

2.0 Questella. 2.30 Asswan. 3.0 Royal Coach. 3.30 Do Your Best. 4.0 Tropical Way. 4.30 Home Address. By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.0 Questella. 2.30 II Tigre. 3.0 Royal Coach. 3.30 Lady Tippens. 4.0 No No Girl. 4.30 Home Address

2.30 POLYCELL-WILLIE CARSON APPRENTICE HANDICAP (£2.540: **6**(10) ...

1993: No Corresponding Race. 3.8 Tigre, 4 Torrey, 5 Jessess, 11-2 Try Me, 13-2 Al Try, 8 No Cocess, 10 Ohi Dominion, PORISE ASSWAM (5-11) besten has then 61 when 9th of 10 to CALPUCCI (6-11) at Newbory (66, 22, 422, good, Aug 17). ILTIONE (5-5) best Connets (8-11) by 81 at Haydock (86, 52, 149, firm, May 7, 6 rat, AL TRUE (8-7) 7th to 15, besten over 35, by Saturnian (8-10) at Chester (86, 52, 149, firm, May 7, 6 rat, AL TRUE (8-7) news at Stock when 49th of 15 to Regulate (6-5) at Chester (86, 52, 127, 500, Aug 37). FORRIEY (9-1) news at Stock when 49th of 15 to 16 sponder (6-5) at Chester (7, 51, 555, hard, Aug 28), NO CONTEST (8-1) 3th 5th to 18 to Single-Hand (8-8) at Nothighton (80, 51, 365, hard, Aug 28), NO CONTEST (8-12) 41 6th to Little Maddene (7-7) at Cheptine (80, 51, 365, hard, Aug 28, 10-ran).

Selection: ASSWAN.

2.45 FLYING CHILDERS STAKES (Group II: 2-y-o: £17,325: 5f) (6) 11-8 Double 7-4 Prince Settle 7-2 Absent Chimes, 12 Mulbit, 20 Northern Trest

11-5 DOUGD, 7-4 Prince Selbo, 7-2 Absent Chimes, 12 Mujbl, 20 Northern Treat.

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4.25 SCEPTRE STAKES (FILES; £12,661: 1m) (7) SCRUBMAGE (C.D) (I Robinson) E Alston 6-8-10 _______ S P Griffiths CAPRICORN BELLE ((Allon) L Cument 3-9-5 ______ R Guest LEPZIG (D) (Englished Stud) M Stouts 3-8-6 _____ W R Swinburn RAPPA YAP TAP (D) (BP) (Helenz Springfield) M Stouts 3-8-6 12-0183 902041 4-22103 211 EDGE OF TOWN (D) (Shelich Mohammed) R Johnson Houghton 3-8-2 9-4 Capricom Belle, 3 Leipzig, 9-2 Rappe Tep Tap, 6 Edge Of Town, 8 Camden Mily,

4.55 PRINCE OF WALES' NURSERY HANDICAP (2-y-o: 24,292: 1m) (12 PRINCE OF WALLS' NUMBER'S HANDROFF (27)

12 MOUJIK (Shalici Mohammad) W Hern 9-7

21 DARBY LADY (B Schmich-Sodner) M Ryan 9-13

2231 AL-YARRI (Hemdan Al-Mactoum) C Berstand 9-10

2332 SUBJECTIVE (N Du Poot III) G Prichard-Sordon 9-10

2312 REVERLE (S) Lut R Missom) M Jarvis 9-7

2232 SIGNORE (D Shaw) C Gray 9-8

8019 MARKSTAR (T Wale) T Fairhurst 9-2

24021 STORM SIGNET (D Harrison) E Sign 8-2

24010 ELECTRICCOANECTION (S Gorion) J Berry 8-1

804 CHEON MAN (Lay Harrison) R Amstrong 8-1

804 CHEON MAN (B) (N Jones) K Store 7-7

24010 PALLINGORA (B) (N Jones) K Store 7-7

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4.30 PILLEY GREEN MAIDEN STAKES (3-y-o: £2,171: 1m 2f) (11)

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McHargue bounces back

Darrel McHargne, controver-sially "replaced" by Lester Piggott on Commanche Run in today's Sc Leger, was smiling again after partnering Ivano to victory in the German Wine Shippers Stakes at Goodwood yesterday. The former American champion is disappointed he will not be abourd Commanche Run at Donaster, instead he will be American Champion is disappointed to the will not be about Communche Rum at Donnster, instead he will be spending the day plying tennis at Newmarket.

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"I will not be watching the St slowly away and could finish only Leger on television. I'll be on the second to Flying Tenderfood. Goodwood results

Goodwood results

24 (im 2) 1, R.VING TENDERFOOT (8
Rouse, 5-27 2: Nessepee (R. Gosticans, 11-fit, 2, Spring Pursuit (T. Culm, 15-2), ALSO RAN:
11-2 Gone Sammes (201), 5 Many Rocker (401),
11-3 Lux Invention, 20 Culmo Do Lago (USA)
16-31 A Card, 33 Three Puris, 8 pan. 3, nk. nd.
15. 32 (cl.), 33 Three Puris, 8 pan. 3, nk. nd.
15. 32 (cl.), 31 Second at Westerney, TOYEE
25-60; 21-40, 21-30, 22-20. DP 25-50, GSP25-60; 21-40, 21-30, 21-30, 11

Vinting (R 188s, 25-1), ALSO RAN: 8 Lustrous (4th), 12 Deetras, 16 Edeleau (5th), Pagusin Line, Brand Occasion (6th), 33 Smarrain. 9 ran, 7, 2, 7s.; 41, 7s.; H Cacd at Newmarkot. TOTE: \$2.90; 21.20, 21.10, 25.20. Dr. 21.90. CSE: \$4.54. Insin 44.78eec. TOTE \$2.90; \$1.20, \$1.10, \$1.20. DP: \$1.90. CSE: \$4.54. Innn 44.78ec.

40. (7) 1, REGALALCO (D. Michargue, 11-10; tor; 2, Kheelen (A. Clark, 1-1); 3, Primos Heb (J. Reid, 4-1), ALSO RANk: 11-2 Larnalier (Str), 16 Obsidien, 20 Vitelle (4th), 50 Kampgiow (Str), Heng Gleter, Sarrott, Priffonder, Squastra (Code, 12 ran, 25); 2, 119, \$2, 2, 1 L. Cumrari at Newmarker. TOTE \$2.50; \$1.10, \$2.20, \$2.50. DP: \$5.50, CSP: \$2.91, Im \$3.20, \$2.00, \$1.50. RN: \$3.00, \$2.10, \$2.00, \$1.50. DP: \$2.00, \$1.50. DP: \$1.00, \$1.50. RN: \$2.00 of Market Dure (Str), \$5 in Galetin, \$0.40 of Market Dure (Str), \$5 in Galetin, \$0.40 of Market Dure (Str), \$1.00 of Market Dure (Str), \$1.00 of Market Dure (Str), \$2.10, \$2.00, \$1.50. DP: \$2.20. To CSP: \$2.80. \$1.50. DP: \$2.20. \$2.50. DP: \$2.20. \$2.50. DP: \$2.20. \$2.50. DP: \$2.20. \$2.50. DP: \$2.50. DP: \$2.50. CSP: \$2.70. \$2.70. DP: \$2.50. DP: \$2.50. CSP: \$2.70. \$2.70. DP: \$2.50. DP: \$2.50. DP: \$2.50. CSP: \$2.70. \$1.70. SP: \$1.70. S

Porchester) 8-11 W Catson (5-1) 3 ALSO RAN: 9-4 Juley My Volge Bostman (4th), 33 My Chende (5th), Fen Tiger (6th), 6 rgn. Hd, 21, 21, 71, H Cool at Newmerton. TOTE: Win: 24.50; places: E2.10, E1.20. DF: E3.30, CSF: £10.53, 2min 36.72aec. 4.40 LAURENT PERRIER ROSE CHAMPAGNE STAKES (\$2,550: 61) STAKES (22,50: 6)
DOWNING STREET b c by Martinmes Gravelle Lady (5 Threadwell 6-1)
P Robinson (14-1) 1
Line Of Fire ch c by Kris - Singe (1 Hambro)
6-7 — G Boote (14-1) 2
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(Hamdan Al-Majdoum) 8-11
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ALSO - RAN: 5-2 Boldden (5th), 13-2
Lyphard Chimes (8th), 14 Legislator, Paris
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Melodeon, Russell Croek, 33 Mr. Lon, St.
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C Britain at Newmarkst.
TOTE Wire 213,60: niceae 22,90, 92,90, 91,30. TOTE Win: \$13.60; pleces: \$2.90, \$2.30, \$1.20 0F; \$51,70, CSF; \$183.90, 1min 18.04sec. Tote double: £38.45. Treble: £54.95 (gald on first two legs). Jeckpot not won. Pool of £4.224.42 carried forward to Doncaster today. Piecepot: £257.80. Newton Abbot the race in the papers the following day," said McHargae, who revealed he will be returning to England in 1985 to be stable jockey to laca. Cumani. McHargae went to complete a double for Cumani with

Newton Abbot

2.18 (2m 150yd txle) 1, Spenish Point (C
Brown 3-4; 2, Romany Lucy (25-1) Bold
Thoughts 6-4 tay) dat only two finished. 7 run.
NR: Sand Laoy. TOTE 22.80; 21.30, 22.20. DF:
280.10. CSF. 280.17.

2.46 (2m 5' ch) 1, Princety Lad (F
Scudamora, 11-6; 2, Tom Scoley (12-1); 2.

Count Gai (14-1) Liptum Pleature (11-10 tay)
19, 9, Dnly 3 finished 5 run. TOTE 22.50;
21.70, 22.00. DF: 53.20. CSF. 223.86.

3.16 1, Gartishawan (Mr R Traicogan 16-1); 2,
Dropatot (8-1); 2, Whanever (6-2 tay), 44, 61, 13
run. NR: Whanesia. Mrs. E Wharden. TOTE
214.30; 23.40, 22.10, 21.40. DF: 244.60. CSF.
280.07. TRICAST: 2148.93.

3.46 (2m 160yd txle) 1, Dea Granins (F
Lanch, 190.30); 2, Senset Worder (6-1); 2,
Singing Feel (5-2 tay), 13/1 61, 8 run. M Pipe.
TOTE 24.30; 21.50, 11.40, 21.50. DF: 27.80.

CSF. 222.84.

4.16 (2m 21 100yd ch) Merchant (F Dewer, 6-1); 2, Pay France (6-1); 3, Kura (13-8 tay), 3, 41, 61, 8 run J Thome. TOTE 25.10; 21.10, 21.40
21.30. DF: 220.20. CSF. 248.51.

4.45 (2m 150yd hxle) 1, Cradle Of Jezz (6
Braziley 9-4 tay); 2, Calor (6-1; 3, Martie Road
(1-2), 8, sh 16, 7 run J Old. TOTE 22.70; 21.30. EST. 21.20
PLACEPOT: 2122.30.

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Course specialists DONCASTER

TRAINERS: W R Hem 19 winners from 74 namers, 25.7%; M Stocks 28 from 122, 25.6; J Dunlop 21 from 84, 22.8, J Dunlop 27 from 84, 22.8, J Dunlop 27 from 84, 22.8, J Dunlop 27 from 150, 18.0; L Piggott 30 from 156, 18.1. GOODWOOD TRAINERS: H Cacil 28 winners from 76 runters, \$6.8%; W Hern 38 from 134,28.1; G Harwood 43 from 183, 22.3, JOCKEY'R: G Baster 12 winners from 88 rides, 17,8%; Mercar 24 from 168, 15.2; B Pouse 15 from 215; 7.0.

CHEPSTOW TRABEPRE H Thomson Jones 12 winners from 38 runners, 31.6% P Walsyn 11 from 48, 22.9 8 Switz 6 from 35, 17.7. JOCKETS & Duffield 8 wisners from 37 rides, 21.6%; R Cochran 10 from 50, 20.9,

CHEPSTOW:

GOING: Firm Draw: 5f-8f, high numbers best. PIXIE APPRENTICE HANDI-CAP (£1,032: 6f) (10 runners)

B 2003- KALYOUR W G M Turner 4-9-7 — A Dicks 10 0000 BROON'S SECRET (D) A Jarvis 10-9-5 — T Taylor 12 2017 BROWN TAW (C) (B) C HEI 3-9-4 — W WOOD 12 212 LORD SCRAP (C, D) B Swift 8-9-4 — G Kennedy 13 4010 GRACIOUSHONES (D)(B) DHaydh-Jones 3-9-3. — 15 0146) STEEL PASS (C, D) M Usher 6-9-3 PPPPP McGurk 16 0000 LAURENBEL (CD) R Hennon 3-9-3 PPPP McGurk 19 0100 PALLETINE D Haydh Jones 3-9-0 ... Jones 19 0100 PALLETINE D Haydh Jones 3-9-0 ... B Bradshaw 20 0000 DIGHT-ED AIR K Brassey 4-8-1 — C Rutter 11 Albert Scrap A Cracinus Normes 9-2 Laurandes S Stand PS 11-4 Lord Scrap, 4 Gracious Homes, 9-2 Laurenbel, 6 Steel Pass, Double Room, 10 Peletine, 14 others.

Chepstow selections

By Mandarin 2.15 Lord Scrap. 2.45 Little Deep Water. 3.15 Pulsate. 3.45 Dimant Blanche. 4.15 Seven Coins. 445 Double

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.45 Little Deep Water. 3.15 Dance of Life, 3.45 Silk 1mp. 4.15 Coplow Girl. 4.45 Nonseuse.

2.45 BLACK CAT STAKES (2-y-o fillies: \$2,124: (7f)

4-5 Little Deep Water, 6-4 Rashinsh. 7 Lune De Minuit,

3.10 QUESS HARTLEY COOPER HANDICAP (23,200: 1m 4f) WORCESTER

> GOING: good to firm 2.0 BLACKPOLE SELLING HANDICAP DLE (£452: 2m) (6 runners) 6-4 Hawailan Heir, 5-2 Ardent Warrior, 4 Springalistics, 7 Setasy Shannon, 12 Gods Will, 20 Flowerterm.

By Mandarin

2.0 Hawaiian Heir. 2.30 Golden River. 3.0 Duke Of Dollis. 3.30 Filletts Farm. 4.0 Father Gleb. 4.30 Palmerston. Worcester slections

2.30 HENWICK NOVICE CHASE (£1,223: 2m) (15) 2.30 HENWICK NOVICE CHASE (£1,223: 2m) (15)
2 3-21 SOYNE MILL R Hodges 8-11-9 Peter Hobbs
3 0021 BUT NOW (D.B) L (kennard 5-11-9 B Powell 4
4 0216- ARCHERS PRINCE C James 6-11-7 A Webber
5 001- APO TOUR A Severes 8-11-7 R. Hyest
7 0010- GOLDEN RIVER A Turnel 8-11-7 Stave Kright
8 1000- GROCKLE D BOTOS 7-11-7 R Durwoody
14 000-0 SCOTS NOGGER J Spearing 9-11-7 R Durwoody
15 000-0 SCOTS NOGGER J Spearing 9-11-7 Southernor
16 p23- CHOSEN CO C'NEI 5-11-2 DS.CHEMORE
17 000-0 RICHER STATE STATE STATE DURWOODY
18 p23-0 CHOSEN CO C'NEI 5-11-2 DS.CHEMORE
19 p0-30 RICHER STATE MC SCENI 6-11-2 NON-RUNNER
20 000-4 RELUCTANT HERO A BETOW 5-11-2 R Hours
24 000-1 SWANEE GIRL N Gaselee 7-11-2 NON-RUNNER
24 000-1 SWANEE GIRL N Gaselee 7-11-2 V MCKevite

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14 000-1 SWANEE GIRL N Gaselee 7-11-2 V MCKEVIT 11-4 Grockle, 100-30 Golden River, 9-2 Buy Now, 6 Boyne Hill, 6 Ben ven, 10 Chosen, 12 Swanee Girl, 14 others.

3.0 ERNEST HAWKESFORD MEMORIAL HANDICAP HURDLE (£1,525: 3m) (9) 1 Sp0-4 ROAD TO MANDALAY (C) (BF) D Barons 7-11-10

CARTMEL GOING: good

1.45 NORTH WEST RACING CLUB SELLING HANDICAP (£477: 2m if) (6 runners) 1 popp SHUTTLE D'OR (C.D) M Chapman 8-12-6 4-11 The Beginning, 6 Track Sherp, 12 Tudorbury, Adderbury Lad, 15 Shuttle D'Or, 20 Landing Lane.

Cartmel selections By Mandarin

1.45 The Beginning, 2.15 Hatteras, 2.45 Stand Back, 3.15 Salgar, 3.45, Happy Worker, 4.15 Japling, 4.45 Glen Lochan.

2.20 LAKELAND PENNING HANDICAP HUR-DLE (£1,766: 2m 11) (13) 2 1212- DAWN DIVER N Crung 7-11-7
3 0040- NUMERATE R Feiter 5-11-4
5 4122- TOP-LEIGH P Montaith 4-11-3
9 111-1 VITINGO (C.D.) C Holmes 5-10-12
10 1144- PADYKIN G Morgan 4-10-9
13 9 STAR ALLIANCE R Mortis B-10-4
10 10-44 11-4 Hatteras, 9-2 Dawn River, 5 Vitingo, 11-2 Fred Pilliner, 6 Numerous, 8 Padylat, 12 Tot, 16 others.

2.55 CHARLES HEIDSIECK HANDICAP CHA-SE (£2,001; 2m 1f) (9) 12 022-2 CARLINGFORD LOUGH (B) G Pichards 8-10-0

J Hansen 4
13 3p42- SECRET GOLD (B) F Jastin 10-10-0Mr C Storey 7

9-4 Tumbia Jim, 3 Sir Lester, 4 Stand Back, 11-2 Carlingford Lough, 8 Even Melody, 12 Trolena, 18 others.

22 0000 AVERON'C Wildman 4-8-2 R Morse 7
23 0014 GRONDAS W Holden 5-8-0 R Morse 7
24 00-20 DANCE OF LIFE (BF) A HIGG 5-8-0 R Curard
25 3100 TIMICERSFIELD (B) M Proscott 3-8-0 G Duffield
25 4-000 SPIV'S RIGHT J Bradley 3-7-13 '7-2 Pulsate, 4 Cance Of Life, 5 Gigondas, 6 Tinkerstiebt. 3.45 CLOVER NURSERY HANDICAP (2-y-o: £1.337: 5f) (B) 4000 CROMECS IMAGE (D) (B) B Swift 9-7 __R Cochrane
1200 DIMANT BLANCHE (D) P Wahvyn 9-4 ____ N Hows
2240 LUCKY ANGEL (D) R Hocker 8-10 ____ Gay Kellewsy 5
4214 LADY DESCHARPS (D) R Brassey 8-8 __ C Duffield
0001 MELOHOLS MISS (CD) D Laing 8-4 __ C Sexton
0000 MY SWEET MELODY M Laher 7-13 ____ C Ruster 7
0013 LADY WILDE R Harnon 7-10 ____ R Street 7-2 Diment Stancha, 4 Melodious Miss, 5 Lady Deschamps 4.15 HEATHER SELLING STAKES (2-y-o: £618: 7f) POP DANCER (S) W G M Turner 8-11 ... A Dicks 7 ROYAL BEAR J Bradiey 8-11 ... N Day SHAMBAYS PRIDE (S) 8-11 ... A Dicks 7 TIM BORBEN P O'COMO' 8-11 ... M Wigham COPLOW GIRL (S) M Tompkins 8-8 ... R Curent JOSERT (S) W Misson 8-8 ... G Duffesto OPAL SPINICH F Calingridge 8-8 ... G Soul SEVEN CORNS M MCCORNACK 8-8 ... R Coctirene 11-10 Seven Coins, 7-2 Contow Girl, 9-2 Opai Spring, 7 Johan 4.45 RABBIT'S FOOT HANDICAP (£1,681: 1m) (16)

4 3041 CARRIAGE WAY (D) R Stubbs 10-8-11 (5 ex) B020 DOUBLE CURCK TIME (D) R Smyth 3-9-7 R H01s.
3141 NONSEMBE (D) M Prescott 3-9-4 G British 7
3141 NONSEMBE (D) M Prescott 3-9-4 G Durish 6043 EXPLETIVE (D) (E) D Haydri Jones 4-9-1 G Sexton D019 ROYABER (C, D) D Haydri Jones 4-9-1 G Sexton D019 ROYABER (C, D) D Haydri Jones 4-9-1 G Sexton D019 MINUS MAN (D) W Holden B-6-10 R Morse 7
3033 TAR'S HILL L Cotter 3-8-9 A Wests 5-1-2422 TDP OF THE MARK N Kernick 5-8-8 R Sexton 3200 SCHE SUMMY DAY (CD) C Benstaed 4-8-7

nnse, 6 Expletive, 7 Minus Man, 8 Double Curck Time, 5-2 Duke Of Dolls, 7-2 Free Choice, 4 Roed To Mandalay, 6 Beau nk, 8 Rash Fried, 10 Last Of The Foxes, 12 Culhem, 16 others.

3.30 COVENTRY CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS HANDI-CAP CHASE (£1,284: 2m 4f) (4)

10-11 Bailybuider, 5-2 Filetts Farm, 4 Harry Sippers, 7 Smiling Cavaller. 4.0 BROMSGROVE HANDICAP CHASE (£1,707: 3m)

3 Gin N'Lime, 7-2 Father Gleb, 9-2 Carl's Wager, 6 Solid Rock, 8 Red Cleric, 12 Viewed Away, 16 Castle Warden, 20 No Retrest.

4.30 HALLOW NOVICE HURDLE (£760: 2m) (13) 2 p00-1 PALMERSTON D Barons 5-11-9 HZ
4 p00-1 PALMERSTON D Barons 5-11-9 HZ
5 p00-1 PALMERSTON BELL Earl Jones 5-11-2 PD
8 g00-5 SHOTMAKER J Webber 5-11-2 S More
11 UP SHOKE SHORER J Spearing 9-11-2 S More
14 WITHERSTON D Parament 5-11-2 R Ar
15 BONSELLA B Charmley 7-10-11 Bloom
16 CP
17 PAIR WEN D Roderick 5-10-11 Bloom
18 CP
19 g00/ GRAND PALACE M O'Haloran 5-10-11 M O'H
25 G20-1 ROUND AGABH A Turnell 4-10-9 Steve
16 2 TACHYROS L Lightbrown 4-10-9 K S
29 p JBY'S DARLEEM P Dugdits 4 P Scuid
31 PENNY'S COLOURS D Bernos 4-10-4 P Scuid
31 PENNY'S COLOURS D Bernos 4-10-4 P Scuid
32 Tachyros 3 Palmerston 4-Bisnestin Bell 6 Browns (8 Bound 6)

3.30 MALDEN TIMBER NOVICE HURDLE (qualifier 6 030-8 WILL PEGGITY J Townson 6-11-0 W Searchwood
7 000- HALEWOOD VINTINER D McCain 4-10-12 K Doolan 4
8 p2- PALLETAIT N Waggott 4-10-12 Mr T Jeffrey 7
9 440- TUDOR FIRM R Morris 4-10-12 W Mor 5-4 Lucylet, 9-4 Salgar, 5 Cettic Bell, 6 Tudor Fun, 10 Ross Movmen.

4.5 BATEY'S PIG & WHISTLE NOVICE CHA-SE (£1,613; 2m 5f) (3) 10-11 Happy Worker, 5-4 Good Trade, 5 Heron's Reflection.

4.40 LINEN WORKWARE RENTAL HANDICAP HURDLE (amateurs: 2918; 2m 7f) (8) MUNITILE (AITREDURE: ES 16; ZIT 1) (a)

1 33/0- DEEP MYSTERY Mrs C Lloyd-Jones 12-11-12
Mrs C Lloyd-Jones 7

2 Fate CHEF MARCEL (C) N Bycraft 5-17-11 ... Dat Williams 4
6 120-0 LANCE OF ST GEORGE J TOWNSON 5-10-10 ... C Stormy 7

7 9-001 RAMOA'S SON N Weggon 8-10-6 (S ax)
Mrs T Weggon 7

10 021-2 JAPLING J Thomas 6-10-2 ... K Toner 7

11 3000- DUSTY FARLOW R Morte 5-10-0 ... Guinn 7

10 021-2 JAPLING J Thomas 6-10-2 K Tone 7
11 300p- DUSTY FARLOW R Morris 5-10-0 J Culm 7
12 3020 BUSHY BAY (C.D.B) M C Chapman 10-10-0 Miss M Chapman 7 15 000-4 MICHIGHT MARY J Corden 9-10-0 Mics in Language.

16 000-4 MICHIGHT MARY J Corden 9-10-0 13-6 Rantos's Son, 11-4 Japling, 4 Chef Marcel, 6 Bushy Bay, 8 sp Mystery, 12 others. 5,15 GRUNWICK STAKES NH FLAT RACE (£532: 2m

5-2 Gien Lochen, 7-2 Paidty Silevcen, 9-2 Little Jave, 6 Run For Port, 8 Castie Official, 12 others.

Boycott moves to reassure a worried Bairstow

CRICKET

By Richard Streeton

Bairstow

6 Mr Burnett added: "A new

Boycott contract means another

year's delay in rebuilding York-shire's team. It's time the members

woke up to what is going on (the Exchange Telegraph reports).

"Boycott won many sympathy votes last year because of his testimonial. But 1984, despite all David Bairstow's heroic efforts, has

David Graveney looks likely to retain the captaincy of Gloucester-shire after winning the backing of

the powerful management com-

Those who hoped for a respite from the turmoil at Yorkshire County Cricket Club will be disappointed that there were two developments yesterday. First Geoffrey Boycott reiterated to David Bairstow, the captain, that he did no wish to replace him as captain. Then, Ronald Burnet, the previous administration's cricket chairman. announced he would not take part in any power struggle to regain

Bairstow admitted he would be understandably angry if he was not reappointed captain, and there was no doubt that so would many Yorkshire members. Boycott's own political acumen seldom lets him down and by communicating quickley with Bairstow he has defused a potentially damaging situation to himself. Boycott now has to persuade his own supporters in committee to reappoint Bairstow. preferably as soon as possible.

Mr Burnet claimed to have been inundated with telephone calls from the old regime, asking him "to restart the fight". Mr Burnet said he did not intend to take part in any campaign. His interest had ended at last winter's special general meeting when I was very disappointed at the reaction and behaviour of predicted. To give Boycott a further people claiming to be Yorkshire vear is a disastrous decision and will delay progress even further."

All-round challenge Ian Botham, Clive Rice, Richard Hadlee. Malcolm Marshall and the powerful management Kapil Dev compete in a challenge today at Taunton to discover the current world's best all-rounder.

Gavaskar doubts his motivation

New Delhi (Reuter) - Hours after being appointed India's cricket captain, Sunii Gavaskar said he had reached a stage in his career where he found it difficult to motivate himself because of his many achievements in the game. Not even winning back the captaincy from Kapil Dev was not the spur he needed to revive his drive. "While there was some kind of a said.

Kick-off 3-0 unless stated

First division

Chelsea v West Ham United . Coventry City v Manchester U . lpswich Town v Arsenal l ivernool v Sunderland Newcastle United v Everton moton v Norwich City Stoke City v Leicester City ... Tottenham v QPR

Wetford v Aston Villa West Bromwich v Sheffield Wed .

Second division Barnsley v Cardiff City . Birmingham City v Carlisle United ... Blackburn Rovers v Grimsby Town Brighton v Crystal Palace

Charlton v Oldham Athletic Leeds United v Portsmouth ... Manchester City v Huddersfield Town .. sbrough v Wolverhampton Sheffield United v Notts County Shrewsbury Town v Wimbledon

Dagenham v Northwich Victoria; Darford v Worcester; Madstone v Kettering; Scarbo-rough v Enfield; Telford v Boston United; Veymouth v Barnet. IORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Bangor City v Mossley: Workington v Macclesfield. POOTBALL COMBINATION: Arsenal v Bristol FOOT BALL CUsses A Francis v Orision Rovers: Crystal Palace v Swansea; Luson v Southampton; Norwich v Oxford Utd; Fortsmouth v Departer, Reading v Wedford; Swindon v Brimingham; West Harn v Chelsea. IRISH LEAGUE: Blatter cup: Bangor v Newny; Cilifornville v Ards; Crusaders v Glentoran; Critillery v Carrick; Glenavon v Portadown; Lame v Coleraine; Linfield v Ballymena.

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Lame v Colerates; Linfield v Bellymena.

FA CUP: First qualitying round: Blue Star v Horden CW: Grook v Durham; Consett v Gatesheed; Billinghem Synthonia v Brandon; Soaham v Tow Law; Guisley v West Auckland: Nemerheld v South Bank; Blyth Spartans v Gutsborough; Ashington v Whitley Bay; Puterlee Newton v Evenwood; Darwen v Croms; Bishop A v Crester-B-Street. Villington v Whitley; Eashgon v Ween; Ryhope CA v Spennymoor; North Shields v Billinghem Town.

CA v Spennymoor, North Snields v Billingham Town.

Scotie v Marine; Droylsden v Fleetwood; Denaby v Blucom; Barrow v Colwyn Bay; Leyland Mtra v Soushport: Burscough v Skelmersdale; Leek v Runcorr; Moreambe v Alfreton; Raddilfle v Farsley Celtte: Chedderton v Dswestry; Frickley v Caernarfon; Armitage v Wilton; Long Eason v Hednestord; Ashton v Hyde; Accrington Stanley v Illination; Formby v Lyne; St Holens v Congleton; Chorley v Lyne; St Holens v Congleton; Chorley v Rakenalt, North Ferriby v Whistord; Chorley v Facet: Hinddiley v Stalybridge Celtic; Horwork Riki v Appleby Frodingham.

Soston v Matipoti; Grasley v Lincoirr United: Frar Lane v Goole; Eastbow Dits v Tartmorth; Tividale v Worksop; Desborough v Wigston Featist; Statueridge v Satton Town; Gramtham v Halesowen; Bromsgrove v Shepched Charterhouse; Arthingborough Lelcoster United: Wolverton; Rushalt v Numeatori; Gehrsboro v Oldewin Ford; Rushden v Stafford; Rorthwell v Noverton; Batworth v Roddilict; Banbury v Willerhalt; Stevenage v Schem; Wootton Ed v Burton; Badworth v Covertry Sporting; Hertford v Sutton Codifietz; Banbury v Willerhalt; Stevenage v Schem; Wootton Ed v Durton; Serbert v Remember v Noverton Serbert v Remember v Noverton; Bodworth v Covertry Sporting; Hertford v Sutton Codifietz; Barthfill v Ockerd (Stev Chellington).

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SOUTH EAST COURTIES LEAGUE (11.00):
First division: Amenal v Futhern; Cherton w
Norwich; Chaisea v Cambridge United; Orient v
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Portsmouth; Tottenham v Milliand; Wattord v
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division: Brantord v Luton; Brighton v Crystal
Palace; Codord United v West Ham; Reading v
Tottenham; Southend v Swindon; Wimbledon v
Bristol Rovers.

Canadians' comeback overwhelms

Russians From Robert Pryce, Calgary Whether they are Swedish, Czechos lovak or Anglo-monosyllabic, every player here seems to have the word "momentum" in their vocabulary. The Russians learned what it meant in the Olypic Saddledome on Thursday night.

ICE HOCKEY

They began with all the momen-tum they needed, surrendered it in tum they needed, surrendered it in the second period and finally lost their Canada Cup semi-final 3-2 beaten by a deflected Canadian shot 12 minutes and 29 seconds nto extra

The Canadian team, who have taken a series of beatigs in this tournament - from their opponents, their supporters and their press -repaired their confidence, rediscovered their patience and finally restored their pride with their first win over the Soviet Union in 10

internationals.

The foundation of their victory was laid by the recalled Peeters, who played a superbly unflustered game in the Canadian goal. "The only logical thing left to do was play a goalteder they hadn't seen, "Glen Sather, the Canadian coach, explained, Sather has borne the volleys of criticism for his tactical approach and team selection less than graciously. This game provided him with a bitter-sweet vindication.

Though Myshkin was equally as

inspired at the other end - Goulet might contemplate a larceny complaint against the little-Russian netminder - the proverbial imper-turbability of the Russian player began to wear thin. In one spell during the second period, in which Tonelli gave them the lead, Canada had 14 shots to their opponent's

Paul Coffey, whose rush out of defence had set up the first goal, finally won them the game. The lone defender against a break-out by two target in sight, I always tried a little harder," Gavaskar said. "Now, without any targets in mind, it will be difficult to motivate myself. Russian forwards, he intercepted their cross-pass, then moved up the ice to let fly twice, from 45 feet. His second shot was deflected by Bossy, and went in off the post, behind

The Edmonton defenceman was "Daring my first Test series, in the West Indies, I just prayed I wouldn't make a fool of myself while immediately buried under a whoop-ing heap of his own colleagues. "I couldn't breath," he reported afterwards, wreathed in sweat and

WEEKEND FIXTURES

batting. It's still the same today," he

Third division

That's the danger.

Bristol Rovers v Reading Cambridge United v Bristol City _ Derby County v Burnley Hull City v Preston North End _ Newport County v Brentford ... Orient v York City Plymouth Argyle v Bournemouth

Rotherham United v Bolton Wanderers . Swansea City v Bradford City Walsali v Miliwali ... Wigan Athletic v Gillingham ...

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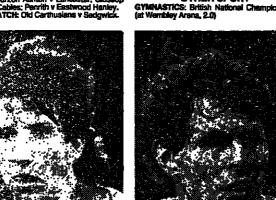
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FA VASE: Extra pretimisary round repay: Havant v Molesey STHMIAN LEAGUE: Premier divisions Windsor and Eavn v Bishop's Stortland; Wycombe v Baragg, Second division south: Barlon v Kingsbury; Marlow v Chestum, Second division south: Dorking v Camberley, NORTHERN COUNTIES EAST LEAGUE: Demoise Violators Annold v Bentley Victoria. NORTHERN COUNTIES EAST LEAGUE: Premier Division: Amold v Berdiey Victoria; Emiley v Bridington Trinity: Heanor v Spalding; Theotieys v Mexborough. NORTH WEST COUNTIES LEAGUE: First division: Curzon Astriun v Lancaster; Gloscop v Prescot Cables; Penrith v Eastwood Hanley. OTHER MATCH: Old Carthusians v Sadgwick.



Paul Mariner: plays for Arsenal against his old club,

RUGBY UNION

Ipswich Town

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HOCKEY CLUB MATCHES: Hamble O B V Fareham; Peterborough Addetic v Spalding, FESTIVAL: Lincolnshire Inter-County (Skeg-nast HG, 10.0).

ness HC, 10.0). WOMEN: AERE Harewell v Cowley. ICE HOCKEY Stulecot, CuP: Cleveland Bombers v Whitey Vigaricars (6.30); Crawiree Chiefe v Altrincham Assa (5.30); Glasgow Dynamos v Ayr Bruins (6.0).

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Polytechnic: Hazel Grove School v Waterfleid
Coflege Hotel: Hawses v Salet Christo Sports

Madeley Centre: Royal Navy v Whiterfleid;
Cardiff Volts v Sudhempton University;
Redovon v Teurus; Cambridge University v
Colchester 'B': Teddington v London Fire
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Scottish premier division Celtic v Hearts . Dundee v St Mirren Hibernian v Dumbarton Morton v Dundee United

Scottish first division

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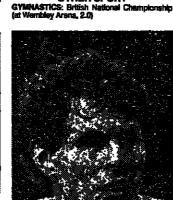
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SPEEDWAY BRITISH LEAGUE (7.30): Coventry v Wimbledon; Cradley Heath v Heading; Halifax v Newcastia; King's Lyrin v Wolverhampton; Swindon v Eastbourne. Swindon v Eastbourne. OPEN: Betle Vue and Stoke.

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Centerbury v Scunthorpe (7.0); Glasgow v Arene Essex (7.30).

OTHER SPORT



Clive Allen: plays for Spurs against his old club, Queen's Park Rangers **TOMORROW**

FOOTBALL

Nottingham Forest v Luton Town CENTRAL LEAGUE: First division: Notis County v Derby
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Ham v Hend Hempstead (2.15)
FRIENDLY: Old Carthusians v Fifty Club **RUGBY UNION**

(2.30).
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RUGBY LEAGUE
LANCASHIRE CUP: Priest round:
Barrow v Carlisle (2.30); Fuffiam v Swinton (at
Swinton); Leigh v Warrington (3.30); Oldham v
Bladspool Borough; Sallerd v Whitehaverc
Wigan v Widnes: Workington Town v Rochdale
Homets (2.30);
YORKSHIRE CUP: Priest round: Castleford v
Leads (3.30); Dewesbury v Bramley (3.30);
Donicaster v Hull K.R.; Festimetatione R. v
Barley (3.30); Huddersfield v Keighley (3.30);
Hudl v Hallifac; York v Hunslet.

HOCKEY CLUB MATCH: Southend v Wayfarers.
FESTIVAL: L and K Fertisers / UAM
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Harry William Scott.

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brother for Eleanor Mary and
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Madelante Sarah. Madeleine Seran.

HARFORD — on September 12th to

Willia and Phillip — a son.

HUGHES.—On September 5th to Pane
and Richard e son. Senedict Edward.

a brother for Enna. Thornes and

William, a half brother for Mark.

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MALLOWS.-On Suptember 1st at the Matilda. Hong Koop, to Lesley (new Tullid) and Christopher – a son. Michael, a brother for Georgina. McCALLIM S BRAINE – On September 14th, to Kate and Steve-a daughter (Gruth Charlotte). MicLOUGHLIN - on September 14 in Sheffield in Shella and Kevin, a daughter Jesatca Korra. McNEH. - On Sept 11th to Dec and Dick - son Geober Toblash a brother for Rosantind. Francesca, Thomas and Betsy.

PARKER: On September 10th to Teresa (nde Zienkiewicz) and Paul. a daughter. Jocetyn P. Elizabeth. eister for James.

SLOSS - On August 250: at Greenwich District Hospital to Cathrine ince Flanagan) and John a daughter Harriel Ann. TAPLIN, On September 14th to Daryi (née Webster) and Terry. a son and brother for Thomas.

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ELSPETH DAVIS. Happy 40th Strib-day to a super friend — Merilie. Eystof. Hux 2nd Josh. HAPPY 40th 808 love from Lynne. Nick and Zachary. WILCOX — Happy Strinday Louise. Love Mother, Daddy, Charles, Catherine, Elisabeth and Caroline.

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DAVEY - On September 12th, peacefully at home at Kingsdon, Somerset,
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Gelf de Sevrac and Esie Mary Dum. At his
record, funeral service. Details of a
Memorial Service will be spontneed 76.
FREEMAN On 1.3th September, peace-fully at his home the River House, folly at his home the River House, of Triffine, Requirem Mass and burial at Catholic Church, Chideock, Dorset on Wednesday 15th September at 11.30am.

11.30am.

AGE - Antheny, suddenly on 10th September mourned by his widow Minnie, his sons Bertsamin, Gregory and Oliver, his father Bertsaley, his mother Hedemi, his brother and sher-in-terw, Ulick and Mary, his father and mother-in-law, Demis and Petronel. Funeral 11.30, 17th September. United Prec Church, Tothes. ROMETT Betty, on September 14 peacefully at Bath. Greatly loved mother of Jeremy and Charles. Funeral private. Thankopting service at Southstake on a data to be becomen.

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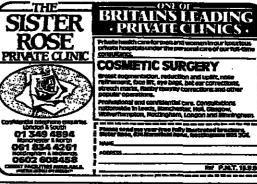
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The state of the s 11.00 Film: It's in the Bag* (1945) starring Fred Allen, Jack Benny and William Bendix: Comedy with Alien as a flea circus owner who is left a fortune by his uncle who has hidden It in one of five chairs, Directed by Richard Wallace. 12,27 Weather.

12.30 Grandstand introduced by Desmond Lynam. The line-up is: 12.30 Football focus with Bob Wilson; 1.00 News; 1.05, 2.35 and 3.05 Interna Golf: the semi-final of the Hennessy Cognac Cup and Rallycross from Lydden Hill; 1.55; 2.25 and 2.55 Racing from Goodwood; 2.05 Raily Cross; 3.50 Half-time scores and reports; 4.00 Ice Hockey: the first semi-final of the Canada Cup; 4.40 Final score. News with Jan Leeming. 5.10

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Sport and regional ne 5.15 The Tripeds. Part one of a new 13-episode science fiction adventure set in England in the year 2089 (Ceefax titles). 5.40 The Noel Edmonds Late Late Breakfast Show with guests.

Sister Siedge, George Michae and Kieran Prendiville. Bob's Full House. Bob Monkhouse presents another edition of the comedy quiz show (Ceefax titles). 6.55 Juliet Brevo, Inspector Kete Longton is left with a problem

when a circus leaves town along with a 14-year-old girl and £200 from her mother's The Paul Daniels Magic Show The guests are, from Switzerland, cornedy ventriloquist, George Schlick; off Hoyle, a mime act from

the United States: and Richard

Stilgoe who plays an unusual

Dynasty, A new series begins on a bad note - Alexis and Krystle are saved from certain

came of Scrabble.

9.15 Last Night of The Proms introduced by Richard Baker, James Loughran conducts the BBC Symphony Orchestra with the BBC Singers and the BBC Symphony Chorus in the traditional programme of the last night - Elgar's Pomp and Circumstance, No 1; Suffivan's Pineapple Poll, in d major; Henry Wood's Fantasia on British Sea Songs; and Parry's Jerusalem. Simuli broadcast with Radio 3. 10.35 News and Sport.

10.50 Match of the Day introduced by Jimmy Hill. Highlights of one of this afternoon's matches from the First and Third divisions.

11.40 Film: Welcome to Blood City (1977) starring Jack Palance, Keir Dullea and Samantha Eggar. Thriller about a group of people, training for an who are sent to Blood City, a western town of computer citizens. Directed by Peter Sasdy. (First showing on British television.) 1.15 Weather.

Radio 4

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6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 News;
Familing Today, 6.50 in Perspective. 6,55 Weather;

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7.00 News, 7.10 Today's Papers, 7.15
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9.50 News Stand. Desmond Wilcox reviews the weekly magazines.
10.05 Conference Special: The Social Democrats. Charles Kennindy, MP reports from Buxton.
10.30 Pick of The Week. With Anne Ford. 160

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11.39 From Cur Own Correspondent.
12.90 News: A Small-country Living.
Jeanine McMullen meets people
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12.27 Cucte . . . Unquote. With Michael Heath, Sue Limb, Jancis Robinson, the Ray Roger Royle, and Nigel Roses. 12.55 Weather.
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1.80 News.
1.10 Any Questions? from the George Orwell School, London. With Ester Rantzen, Shirley Williams, and Denis Healey. (r) 1.55 Shipping Forecast.
2.00 News; Afternoon Theatre: "Mr Luby's Feer of Heaven". A play to 1800 by John Mortimer. With John Gleigud and Peter Wood Thorps. A lecturer on Byron has an excident in Italy, wakes up in hospital, and triants he is in Heaven. 1 (r).
3.00 News; Frenk Muir Goes into ... Mathematics. With Frank Muir and Alfred Marks.
3.30 Modern Mytts. Paul Smith on the work being done on modern.

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contemporary legends.
4.15 The Chip Shop. A weekly survey

everyone can understand. With Barry Norman. 4.45 A Sideways Look At . . . by Anthony Smith. 5.00 Wildfile.

5.25 Week Ending. A satirical look back at the week's news. 8.86 News; Sports Round-Up. 8.25 Desert Island Discs. The

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Rock. Adventures of the creatures that five beneath a light house. With Fulton Mackay (r). 10.00 The Saturday Starship. Bonny Langford, Tommy Boyd and Nigel Roberts present another election of cartoons, pop videos with guests, Bucks Fizz World of Sport Introduced by Dickie Davies from the County Dickle Davies from the County Cricket Ground, Taumton. The line-up is: 11.25, 1.20, 1.50, 2.25, 3.30 and 4.00 Cricket: The SRk Cut Challenge. Five Cricketers - Richard Hadlee, lan Botham, Kapil Dev, Malcolm Marshall and Clive Rice battle for prize money worth £26,000 to a compe world 225,000 in a companie to find, arguably, the world's greatest all-rounder; 12.45 News; 12.50 On the Ball with lan St John and Jimmy Greaves; 1.40, 2.10, 2.45 and 3.20 the ITV Four from

5.00 News. 5.05 The Krankies Klub Cornedy and music series. 5.35 Blockbusters. Bob Holness with a general knowledge quiz for 16-to 18-year-olds.

Doncaster: 3.45 Half-time

soccer round-up; 4.45 results.

6.05 The A-Team. Hannibal Smith and his of Vietnam Wer veterans this week tackle a team of modern-day stage coach robbers who use a pretty girl as balt for an 7.00 Pranchilnes presented by

Lennie Bennett. Contestants with star guests in a test of 7.30 Bottle Boys. The milkmen of Dawson's Dairy have their

noses put out of joint when a lady milikroundsperson is appointed. (Oracle titles page 8.00 3-2-1 introduced by Ten Rogers. Couples from Essex Leicester and Lossiemouth compete in the quiz game

show. With guests Janke Hoyte, Wayne Denton, Keni and Caz James, Marc and Jane and Superjazz. 9.00 The Gentle Touch, Dat Inst Maggle Forbes is faced with a case of intolerance when she is called to a block of council flats where neighbours are beseiging a mother and her 28-year old mentally retarded son because of the son's lieged assaults on the estate's residents.

10.00 News followed by London news headlines. 10.15 Film: A Bridge Too Fat (1977) Connery and Robert Redford. The story of the Amhem landings during the Second World War. Directed by Richard Attenborough. 1.25 Night Thoughts.

the major influences on her private and professional life. 7.45 Baker's Dozen with Richard

Baker.*

8.39 Saturday Night Theatre. Another of the time plays of J. S. Priesday. Time and the Conways. With Zena Waiker heading the cast. A glimpse of the future that proves to be very different from the dreams of a temaly who meet for a celebration. The play begins, and ends, in 1919. †

10.00 News.

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12.00 News. 12.10 Weather. 12.18 Close, Shipping Forecast.

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12.10 Concerto part two. Tchalkovsky's
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1.05 Jorge Bolet: plano recital.
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6.25 Open University. Until 3.10. 3.10 Film: Bengal Brigade (1954) starring Rock Hudson, Arlene starring Rock Hudson, Ariene Dahl and Ursula Thiess. Adverture yarn set in mid-18th century India, about a disgraced (unfairly, of course) British officer who, after his court martial, is tempted by an ofter made by a militant Rajah. Directed by Laslo Benedek. 4.35 International Golf. The final holes in the semi-final of the

Hennessy Cognac Cup from Ferndown Golf Club. 5.35 Film: Blackbeard the Pirate (1952) starring Robert Newton Linda Dameli and William Rendly Newton is superbly over the top in his portrayal of the villainous Blackbeard. being hounded by the brave Sir Henry Morgan whose pretty niece is held captive by the dastardly pirate. Directed by Raoul Walsh

7.10 News and Sport, With Jan Leeming.

7.25 More Than Any Other the centenary year of the Gaelic Athletic Association which, in its official guide, organization which has as its basic aim the strengthening of the national identity in a 32-county Ireland through the preservation and promotion of Gaelic games and pastimes" Seamus McKee traces its history, aims and its role 8.15 Colin Davis. A profile of the

remarkable musician as he nears the end of his 15-year encegement as Music Directo of the Royal Opera House. He talks about his private life and the attitudes that shape his approach to his public work.

9.15 Film: Alice Doesn't Live Here Anymore (1975) starring Ellen Burstyn and Kris Kristofferson, Burstyn won an Oscar for this portrayal of 35year-old Alice, recently widowed with a 12-year-old son, who decides to pick up the threads of her life by moving to Monterey to continue her interrupted singing career. Her experiences make for a sometimes sympathetic but mostly comic film. Directed by

11.05 Fraud. A repeat of the first episode of the serial that began vesterday, starring David Suchet as the psychoanalyst. Ends at 12.10.

TONIGHT'S PROM

7.30 Vaughan. Williams's Seren-ade to Music: Walton's Viole

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Sea Songs; Parry's (orch Eigar) Jerusalem. BBC SO. BBC Symphony Chorus and

Eggar Jerussiem BBC SO, BBC Symphony Chorus and Singers. Conductor: James Loughran. With Rivka Golani (viola), and solo singers Jane Leslie MacKenzie, Marityn Dale, Patricia Wright, Patricia Rozario, Susan Mason, Jean

Rozario, Susan Mason, Jean Rigby, Marthyn de Black, Mary King, Maldwyn Davies, Stuart Kale, Adrian Thomp-son, Glenn Winslade, Henry Herford, Michael George, William Shimell and John Hall, Radio 31, Part two also on BRC 1

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2.00 Listening Eye. A repeat of the programme shown last Thursday in the series that

2.25 Film: Young Tom Edison* (1940) starring Mickey Rooney. A biography of the early days of the American inventor, Thomas Alvah Edison. Directed by Norman Taurog. 4.05 Film: Ruddigore (1967). A cartoon version of the Gilbert

and Sullivan opera, sung by the D'Oyly Carte Company. Produced by Helas and Bachelor and directed by Joy Bachelor.

Brookside: A compilation of the week's two episodes. . 6.00 Cricket: The Silk Cut Challenge. The climax of a day's competition in which five cricketers - lan Botham, Richard Hadlee, Malcolm Marshall, Kapil Dev and Clive

> Rice compete for a prize of £6,000 and claims for the title of the world's best all-rounder News summary and weather followed by Revelations, presented by Eric Robson, Sir Fred Hoyle talks to Melvyn Bragg about a recent ation, which coincides with going to live in the Lake

7.30 Union World. The story of the Unity Trust, a commercial bank set up by British unions along the lines of the German unions' BFG Bank which is now the fourth largest bank in

8.00 The Sonnets of William Shakespeare. The first programme in a 15-part series exploring the mysteries and meanings of the Bard's

8.15 Ladybirds. This first of a second series of one-woman shows features the American singer, Rita Coolidge.

9.00 Callan, When Callan is relieved of his position as head of Section, Bishop takes over the investigation of a take passports racket.

10.00 A Frame with Davis. The world champion's guests on the green baize this evening are-comedians Alfred Marks and Stan Boardman. 10.35 Film: Hush, Hush; Sweet

Charlotte* (1965) Starring Bette Davis as a reciuse suspected of a murder committed 37 years earlier. Directed by Robert Aldrich. 12.55 Closedown

> Pettinger (plano): Lenno Barkeley's Sonatina; Hindemith Echo; Elisabeth Lutyen's Variations for solo flute Op 38; Hihdemith's Sonata.† News: Ends at 11.18.

News: Enter at 17.18. Viff only - Open University: 6.55
The Ultimate Structure of Matter.
7.15 Matths Foundation Tutorial.
7.35-7.55 introduction to Calculus. 11.20pm The Gospel of Work. 11.40-12.00 The Novel-and the Human Image.

Programmes on long wave. I denotes

Programmes of King Water 1 deficies staree on VHF. 6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 News; Morning Has Broken, 8.55 Weather, Travel. 7.00 News, 7.10 Sunday Papers, 7.15 Apna Hi Ghar Sarraithye. 7.45 Bells. 7.50 Turning Over New Leeves. 7.55 Weather: Travel. News. 8.10 Sunday Papers. Radio 2

News on the hour until 1.00 pm, then from 6.00 (except 8.00 pm and 9.00). Headlines 6.30 am, 7.30 (medium wave). I denotes also VHF stereo. 7 cenous aso vnin stereo.
4,00 am Torry Giffman. 6,00 Sheile,
Tracy. 7,50 Racing, 8,05 David Jacobs.1
10,00 Sounds of the 60s. Keith Fordyce
plays some tavourite records.† 11,00
Album Time with Peter Clayton,† Incl. 11.02 Sports Desk. 1.00 pm Mooney's Monday People. Comedy half-hour. 1.30 Sport on 2: Includes Racing at Doncester and Football (second-half

2.00 Verdi's Operas: Nabucco. Sung in Italian. Gardelli conducts the Vienna Opera Crichestra. Cast includes Gobb (Nabucco). Carlo Carva, Bruno Preved, Dora Carra. Anna d'Auria and Elena Soullotis. Acts 1 and 2. Aqts 3 and 4 at 3.20.1

4.20 French Violin Music: Tomotads Soh (violin) and Paul Hamburger (plano). Faurè's Sonata No 2 Op 108; Lill Boutanger's d'Un matin de printemps; Nocturne: Faurè's Berceuse in D Cp16.1

5.00 Jazz Record Requests: Doncester and Poolear, Second-ham loothed commentary), Timetable: 5.40 Recing Results. 5.50 Final Comment. 6.00 Folk on 2.17,00 Three in a Row from The White Rock Payllon, Hastings. 17.30 Opera Gala from the Royal Concert Hall, Nottingham, with John Durn. 1 find 8.25-8.45 Interval. 9.3 Bio Band Soecial with Danny Scott. 1 Big Band Special with Danny Scott.† 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Saturday Tutue Sporus Desk. Tutue Saturday Rendezvous. Highlights from the International Music Festival. 11.00 Ken Brucs. † 1.00 am Jean Challis presents Nightrida. † 3.00 -4.00 Wally Whyton with Country Concert.†

5.00 Jazz Record Requests:
presented by Peter Clayton.t
5.45 Critics' Forum: with Paul Barker,
John Carey and William Feaver
with Gallan Reynolds in the chair.
Topics Include the Pat O'Counct Radio 1 News on the half hour until 12.30 pm, 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30, and 12 mithright (medium wave), 1 denotes also VHF stereo. 8.00 am Mark Page, 8.00.Tony Blackhum's Saburday Show, 19.00 Dave Lee Travis, 1.00 pm My Ton Tan

film Cei. Ron Hutchinson's play Rat in the Skull at the Royal Cour Theatra and Peul Cour Theatre, and Paul Ferris's drama documentary The Extremist, on 5.35 Clarinet and Piano: recital by

5.35 Clarinet and Piano: recital by
Janet Histori (clarinet) and Keith
Swallow (piano). Bax's Sonata;
Firz's Five Bagatelles;
Stanford's Sonata Op 129.

7.30 Proms 84 (see panel).

8.40 The English Ayre: Consort of Musicke play piaces from John Attey's First Booke of Ayres,
1622 f 8.65 The later poems of Walter de la Mare. Presented by Patric Dickinson.(r)

9.15 Proms: part two (see panel.† 18.40 Twentieth Century Flute Music: World Service, facing page FREQUENCIES: Radio 1: 1053kHz/285m; 1089kHz/275m; Radio 2: 693kHz/433m; 909kHz/330m; Radio 3: 1215kHz/247m; VHF -90-92-5; Radio 4: 200kHz 1500m; VHF -92-95; LBC 1152kHz/261m; VHF 97.3; Capital: 1548kHz/194m; VHF 95.8; BBC Radio London 1458kHz/206m; VHF 94.9; World

Blackburn's Saturday Snow. 19.00 Dave Lee Travis. 1.00 pm My Top Ten. Tony Hadley of Spandau Ballet. 2.00 Paul Gembaccini with America's hits. 14.00 Saturday Live. Richard Skinner and Andy Battan-Foster. 15.30 in Concert featuring Nick Lowe and his Cowboy Outfil. 17.30 Janice Long including sessions from Boomshanka and Act Fusell. 10.00-12.00 am Dete Peach. VHT Radios 1 and 2: 4.00 am With

VHF Radios 1 and 2: 4.00 am With Radio 2: 1.00 pm With Radio 1: 7.30 pm-4.00 am With Radio 2:

award-winning, Ardh Satya, talks about his career to 9.25 Cartoon Time, 9.35 The Ashok Rampal, 10.30 Ceefax, 1.00 Farming. 1.25 Mr Smith's Fruit Garden. In the first of five programmes Geoffrey Smith

BBC 1

6.20 Open University, Until 8.50

9.00 Bod. A See-Saw programme

for the very young (r). 9.15 Knock Knock, A new series of

children's stories from around

the world, 9.30 This is the

Day. Deaconess Margaret

Cundiff talks on the theme of

The Unchanging God, from her Selby home. 10.00 Asian

Magazine. Om Puri, ster of the

TV-am

presented by David Frost

and quest. David Owen.

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Smurts, 9.50 Cartoon Time. 10.00 Morning Worship from

the 13th century parish church

of St Mary the Virgin in Purton, near Swindon, 11.00 Link. The

story of 22-year-old Graham Hicks who is deaf and blind

but who has overcome thes

Stoopard's series on baby

care continues with evidence

The last in Mary Holland's series on the search for peace

in Northern Ireland includes an

Henderson what he has learnt

clues to unsolved comes in the

London area. 1.15 The Big

Match. Highlights of matches from the First and Second

divisions, played yesterday. 2.00 The Human Factor. Pete

Williams talks to some of the

survivors of the passenger ship, City of Cairo, which was

sunk by a U-boat in November

followed by Fitm: The Blue

Max (1966) starring George Peppard. The story of a young

pulot and his ambation, in 1918.

to earn Germany's highest

award for fighter pilots. Directed by John Guillerman.

Part two next Sunday.

4.00 Magnum. The private detective is hired to find the

5.00 Bullseye. Darts and general

long lost son of an aged

Prior who tells Sir Nicholas

from his three years in

Northern Ireland

that babies are smarter than

we give them credit for (r).

12.00 From the Shadow of the Gun.

cycle repair business.

handicaos to run a successiul

begins with Lord Longford discussing his faith, 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. For the very young

(r), 8.30 Good Morning Britain

continues with news headlines

7.25 Good Morning Britain,

cusses Apples and Pears (r). 1.50 News headlines. 1.55 Wickey and Donald, Cartoons 2.15 Film: The Dara Busters* (1954) starring Richard Todd and Michael Redgrave. The story 11.30 Baby and Co. Minism of two men - Wing Commander Guy Gibson and Dr Barnes Wallis - who masterminded the raids on the Moehne and Eder dams during

Directed by Michael Anderson on. Tom and Jerry. Aristocrats. The Duke of in a six-part series on the European aristocracy (r). 1.00 Police 5. Shaw Taylor with

5.15 From Where I Stand. The last of six films in which people of various religious persuasions talk about how their faith has sustained their life in Britain. Today, Tony Bayfield recalls the time he was the Rabbi of a Reform Synagogue in Weybridge, Surrey (r).

5.45 News with Jan Learning. 5.55 Dombey and Son. The penultimate episode and the marriage between Mr Dombey and Edith goes through a rough patch, culminating it 2.30 London news headling rough patch, culminating in a violent argument about Edith's conduct (r) (Ceefax titles). 6.25 Appeal. Frank Bough appeals on behalf of the Child Growth

6.30 Excuse My French, Joe Brown, in learning conversational French, goes shopping and visits the Biarntz

things a little too exciting.

Curse of the Dragon Queen (1980) starring Peter Ustinov

as the inscrutable Chinese

detective, called in by the San

Francisco police to help solve

Directed by Clive Donner /first

showing on British television).

Humphrey Burton. The Quest for Reginald Goodall is the first

old conductor, recognized as

That Doesn't Roll. Cliff Richard

talks about the private side of

his life and his Christianity (r).

Moore sifts the information

astronomical satellite, IRAS.

received from the infra-re

Radio 4

8.15 Sunday. Religious news.
 8.50 Week's Good Cause: David

Jacobs on the revolution in

electronic aids for savefaly disabled people. 8.55 Weather 9.00 News. 9.10 Sunday Papers. 9.15 Letter from America by Alfstair

Leon Brittan, the Home

with Lewis Figure; wyler
Longmore and Pattence
Tomerson. The story of a girl
student, torn between three me
and three worlds (r).
4.00 News; A Room of One's Own.

5.00 News; Travel. 5.05 Down the Severn. Tom Salmon

Scotland. 6.45 Feedback with Colin Semper.

7.30 A Good Read. A selection of

7.00 Travet; Death May Surptse Us, dramatized in six parts from the novel by Ted Willis (4).1

4.30 The Living World.

6.DO News.

The second of six programmes in which Frances Donnelly talks to contemporary women writers. Today: Angele Carter and Emma Tennant.

continues his journey from the source to the mouth of the River Severn (4). 5.50 Shipping.

Round Britain Quiz - London v

one of the greatest living

interpreters of Wagner.

1.35 Everyman Profiles. The Rock

12.10 The Sky at Night. Patrick

2.30 Weather.

a series of bizarre murders.

Directed by Bob Kellett.

8.45 Film: Charlie Chan and the

10.20 News with Jan Leeming.

10.35 Omnibus, presented by

6.40 Songs of Praise from Clifton's Roman Catholic Cathedral of St Peter and St Paul. (Ceefax

knowledge game. 5.30 Sunday Sunday, Gloria Hunniford's guests are Mel Smith, Julie Walters, Ian 7.15 Film: Are You Being Served? (1977) starring Mollie Sugden, John Inman and Frank Charleson and Dick Francis. There is music from Elkie Brooks and the guest critics Thornton. The staff of Grace Brothers' department store are Derek Jameson and Sandra Dickinson. take a package holiday to the Costa Plonka. Determined to 6.30 News. make light of their third rate accommodation the gang 6.40 Highway, Sir Harry Secombe search for some home-spun takes the Pilgrim Way to Iona. entertainment only to find 7.15 Child's Play, presented by

Michael Aspel. A panel has to decipher definitions given by mail children. 7.45 Princess Daisy. Part one of a two-part drama about a Russian prince who marries an American film star. Their tainytale life ends when the wife gives birth to a brainnaged twin who is promptly

hidden away in a home. 9.15 News. 9.30 Tales of the Unexpected: The Reconciliation. A husband tries to discover instances of infidelity from his faithful wife 18.00 A Married Man. Episode two

of the drama starring Anthony Hopkins as John Strickland, a Labour politician with marriage problems (Oracle title page

followed by Our Daily Bread. A documentary about the plight of the American farmer. 12.15 Night Thoughts from Moshe

8.00 The Unquiet Grave. One of the survivors of the Grestord Colliery explosion and fire 50 years ago, recounts his experiences.
9.00 News; Mr Norris Changes Trains by Christopher Isherwood, With by Christopher Isherwood, With David March, Michael Maloney and Shella Grant. Dramatized by Eric Ewens (r).†

10.00 News.
10.15 Hardy's Wessex (s/binaural).
11.00 Late Night Conversations.
Rosemary Hartili talks to Mary
Daly, philosopher and radical
fem-nist.

11.15 The World of Barbara, Pyrn, Brenda Bruce reads from the works. (r). 12.00 News. 12.10am Weather. 12.15

News. 12-10em Weather. 12-15
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except. 5-45-7-45em Open
University. 6-45 Management
Perspectives. 7-25 Romantic
Narrative Poetry. 7-25 The
Gospels as History. 1-55-2-00pm
Programme News. 4-00-6-00
Study on 4: 4-00 So Tou Want to
be an Actor. 9-30 Morning Service. From Victoria Methodist Church, Bristol. 10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition. 11.15 The Colour Supplement. Include: Leon Brittan, the Home
Secretary, on the year that began
in June 1980, 12.55pm Weather.
1.00 The World This Weekend: News.
2.00 News; Gardeners' Question
Time. Listeners' questions.
2.36 Afternoon Theatre: "Absolute
Decline" by Stephen Jeffreys.
With Lewis Flander, Wyllie be an Actor.

Radio 3 7.55 Weather 8.30 News.
8.05 Biber's Mystery Sonatas: Nos 1 in D minor. 2 in A. 3 in B minor. 4 in D minor. 5 in A. and 6 in G minor. With Franz Josef Mayer (violsi) Franz Lehrndorfer (organ). Max Engel (cello) and Konrad Junghanel (theorbo).†
9.00 News.
9.05 Your Concert Choice: Rachmaninov's Piano Sonata No 2 (Ashkenazy); Schubert's Quartettsatz and fragment of

2 (AShkenazy); Schubert's
Cuartetisatz and fragment of
Andante, D 703; Brainne's
Rinaldo Op 50 (Kollo, tenor).
10.30 Music Weekly: Introduced by
Michael Oliver. Competitions are
discussed by Evelyn Barbirolis.
Alan Blytt, Peter Donohoe, Yfrah
Neaman, Roy Tipping and
Fleanor Warren.

11.15 BBC Symphony Orchestra: with Lazar Berman (piano). Part one. Liszt's Plano Concerto No 2 in A (part of Edinburgh International Festival 1984).

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Man of the Congo: Michael Wood: he can be seen in River Journeys: The Congo (BBC 2, 7.15 pm)

BBC 2

6.25 Open University, Until 1.55. 1.55 The Sea of Faith. The first of six programmes in which Don Cupitt, Dean of Emmanuel College, Cambridge, explores present-day faith and hilosophy. (Shown last Wednesday.) (Ceetax titles.)

2.45 International Golf. The final of the Hennessy Cognac Cup. 5.10 Kyung Wha Chung Plays Bach. The first of four programmes featuring the Korean violinist with the Scottish Chamber Orchestra They perform Bach's Concerte

n A minor (r). 5.35 World Chees Chempionships introduced by Jeremy James. News and commentary from Moscow on the Championship games between Anatoly (arpov and his challenger, Gary Kasparov.

6.00 News Review with Moira Stuart. Subtited.

6.30 The Money Programme. A new series begins with an examination of the problems encountered by the main British banks when they tried to expand in North America; and of the price war between petrol stations.

7.15 River Journeys. The first of a new series in which six writers travel along the river of their choice, using, wherever possible, local transport. This evening, historian Michael Wood travels more than a 1,000 miles along the Rive

Congo, now named the Zaire. 8.20 Another Six English Towns. In the second programme of his series, Alec Clifton-Taylor is in the fishing town of Whitby, on the Esk estuary in north-east England (Ceefax titles).

8.50 News with Jan Leeming. 8.55 A Moment to Talk. With Youth Training Scheme trainees at Tyne North Engineering, Vallsend (r).

9.10 People from the Forest, by Stephen Davis. The story of Russian scientist-turneddissident, Andrei Sakharov, from the mid-1950s to the mid-1970s. Following his success at developing the hydrogen bomb Sakharov was showered with every honour and privilege that Russia could offer and declared a 'national asset'. What brought about his tual freedom that led to his exile, stripped of all honours, in Gorky? (r).

10.35 Film: The Comedians (1967) starring Richard Burton, Elizabeth Taylor and Alec Guinness. Drama, set in Haitl, about a hotel owner who is drawn into the island's politica activities. Based on the novel by Graham Greene and directed by Peter Glenville. 11.40 Concert: part two. Bruckner's Symphony No 5.1 1.00 Endellion String Quartet: part one. With Andrew Marriner (clarinet). Haydin's Quartet in C. Op 74 No 1; Bartok's Quartet No 3 theoret reading at 1.45

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1.50 Recitat: part two. Mozart's
Clarinet Quintet in A, K581.

2 (Indian).†

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Carnet Cuanter in A, NS61.

2.30 Music from America: BBC
Philharmonic Orchestra. Ives's
Three Places in New England;
Roger Session's Rhapsody for
orchestra; MacDowell's Suite No.

Nash Ensemble: with Thomas Allen (baritone). Debussy's Danse secree at danse profane emble: with Thomas

for harp and string quinter; Dutilleux's Plano Sonata; Ravel's Chansons madecasses for voice.

Divertissement for basson and Saing quinter, Poulenc's Le bal Masque 1

Michael Coffins (ciarinet), BBC

5.15 Documentary: Evolving Ideas.
Prolessor Stephen Jay Gould of
Harvard University in
conversation with Collin Tudge.

Michael Collins (ciarinet), BBC SO. Colin Matthews's Cello Concerto; and Thee Musgrave's Clarinet Concerto; and Thee Musgrave's Clarinet Concerto; at the College of the Co

meditations symphoniqu Wallam Mathles's Organ

9.50 Diamonds From the Ashes: the

poetry of Cyprian Norwid, Presented by Jerzy Pieterkiewicz. The readers are

Gabriel Woolf, Barbara Leigh-

Hunt and Srett Usher. 10.20 Janacek and Schumann: Ruth Geiger (piano) plays Janacek's In the Mist; and Schumann's

Concerto.t

Kreisleriana, Op 16.† 11,15 News. Umil 11.18.

6.00 Matthews and Musgrave: Alexander Baillie (cello) with

4.35 Recital: part two. Françaix's

CHANNEL 4

2.15 Irish Angle. This week a section of the Electricians Union plunged much of Ireland into darkness, threatening the already unsteady insh economy. Dublin also outburst for a long time when gangs of youths ran riot in the city. Irish Angle investigates the background to these two

2.40 Film: Mother India (1957) starring Nargis as Radha, a virtuous village woman who has to face extreme hardship ne hardshio in order that her family car survive with dignity. An Oscar-nominated film, directed by Menboob Khan.

5.30 News summary and weather followed by Face the Press. Anthony Howard is in the chair as Peter Walker, Secretary of State for Energy, is questioned by Ian Aitken, political editor of The Guardian and John Lloyd, industrial aditor of the Financial Times.

6.00 American Football. Highlights of the San Francisco 49-ers game against the Washington Redskins.

7.15 Playing Shakespeare. The penultimate programme of the series examines one of Shakespeare's characters in detail - that of Shylock, Royal Shakespeare Company actors, Patrick Stewart and David Suchet give their interpretations of the role. 8.15 Upstairs, Downstairs. Gregory Wilmot is killed in the Great

War, leaving a wretched Rose Hazel is also gnef-struck when she learns of the death of her young flying officer, Jack Dyson. James Bellamy returns home on leave with the Military Cross and an abject disgust of the pain, misery and death that he has witnessed at the Front. He tries to console the two. prieving women.

People to People: Hooligans or Rebels? Tonight's programme is about truancy from school.

10.15 Film: Father Brown* (1954) starring Alec Guinness as the G. K. Chesterton detective hero. In this adventure, Father Brown is warned that the master criminal Flambeau (Peter Finch) is planning to ess Cross of St steal the price Augustine while it is being transferred to Rome. Fr Brown passes on this information to is Bishop who declines to make any special plans for the Cross's protection. Disobeying orders, Fr Brown accompanies the Cross but even his presence is not enough to deter the resourceful Flambeau, With Joan Greenwood and Cecil Parker. Directed by Robert Hamer.

11.50 Closedown. VHF only - Open University: 6.55am Rights and Wrongs of Modern Art (1). 7.15 Blinkers.

7.35-7.55 Social Science and Common Sense.

Radio 2

News on the hour (except 8.00 pm). Headlines 7.30 am. Medium wave. tdenotes also VHF stereo. 4.00 am Tony Gillham.† 6.00 Shella 4.00 am Tony Gillham. 1 6.00 Shella Treorinci. 6.02 Sports Desk. 7.30 Paul McDowell says Good Morning Sunday. 1 7.45 Bishop Bill Westwood. 9.00 David Jacobs. 1 11.00 Desmond Carrington with Radio 2 AB-Time Greats. 1 12.30 pm The Grumbleweeds. 1 12.59 Sports Desk. 1.00 David Hamilton introduces Two's Best. 1 2.00 Berlny Green. 1 3.00 Alan Dell with Sound Easy. 1 4.00 String Sound. 1 4.30 Sing Something Simple. 1 5.00 Charlie Chester. 6.00 Glen Campbell at the 1984 Silk Cut Festwal. 5.90 Charlie Chester. 6.00 Glen Campbell at the 1984 Silk Cut Festival. 7.00 David Francis and Gordon Langford. 7.30 Glamorous Nights with Robin Boyle. 8.30 Sunday Half-Hour from the Ueyn and Efficisydd "Cymania Ganu." North Wales. 9.00 Your Fundred Best Tunes. 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Songs From The Shows. 11.00 Sounds of Jazz. 1.00 am Nightride. 13.09-4.00 Two's Best.1

Radio 1

News on the half hour until 11.30 am, then 2.30 pm, 3.30, 5.00, 7.30, 9.30 and at 12 midnight (medium wave), falso at 12 raidnight (medium wave), talso
VHF stereo.
6.00 am Mark Page. 8.00 Tony
Blackburn's Sunday Show. 10.00 Adrum
Juste. 12.00 pm Jimmy Savile's "Old
Record" Club featuring The Double Top
Ten Show. This week: 1968 and 1980.
2.00 Steve Wright. 4.00 Paul Gambacchi
(an appreciation of Frankle Valli and The
Four Seasons). 5.00 Top 40 with Simon Four Seasons). 5.00 Top 40 with Simon Bates 17.00 Anne Nightingale 19.00 Robble Vincent 11.00-12.00 am Garry Byrd's Sweet Inspirations.† VHF Radios 1 and 2: 4.00 em With Radio 2: 5.00 pm With Radio 1: 12.00-4.00 em With Radio

World Service, facing page

BORDER As London except: 9.25 am Border Diary. 9.30-10.60 Baby & Co. 11.30-12.00 Farming Outlook. 1.00 pm Border Diary. 4.60-5.00 Survival Special. 5.30-6.30 Fall Guy. 11.15 Scottish National Party Contempe. 12.15 am Clossedown. Conterence, 12,15 am Closedown

Southampton. 5.00-5.30 Bullseye. 11.15-Scottish National Party Conference. 12.15am Reflections, Closedown. GRANADA As London except: 9.25em Miniature

Chess Masterplaces. 9.39-10.00
Window on the World. 11.00 Baby & Co.
11.25 Asp Kar Hak. 11.30-12.00 This is
Your Right. 1.00pm-2.00 Champions.
2.30 Big Match. 3.15-5.00 Film: Great
Wallendes, (Lloyd Bridges). 5.30-6.30
Return of the Saint. 11.15 Last Outlaw.
12.10pm Ther's Wallended. 23.10pm 12.10am That's Hollywood, 12.45

Brooks 12.15 am Company,

BBC1 Water: 5.10-5.15pm Sports
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outstanding matches in the Promier REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

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S4C Starts 2.20em Week in Politics. 3,00 Cervantes, 2.45 Film: Thank 3,00 Cerventes, 245 Film: 1187k Your Lucky Stars, Moslosi with Humphrey Bogart, 8:00 Cricket, 7,00 Wood Within Itself, 7,30 Newyddion. 7,45 Newydd Dob Nos, 8,15 Cisties. Cudd, 8:45 Almense, 2,15 Callett, 10,15 Film: World's Greatest Lover, Comedy, starying Gene Wilder, 11,55 Closedowit.

CHANNEL As London except:
9.25em Cartoon, 9.35
Mister T. 9.55-10.00 Puffin's Space,
9.85em Puffin's Ptailos, 5.10 Smurts,
5.35-8.05 Kranides Gub. 10.15 Film:
Night Kil. 12.05em Movie Makers, 12.35
Closedown.

Looksround 5.05pm News 5.10 Krankles Klub, 1.25 Poet's Comer,

ULSTER As London except: 4.55 pm-5.09 Sports results. 1.25 are News at Bedtime, Closedown. TVS As London except: 9.25am-8.30 Closedown. GRAMPIAN As London except: 9.25 am Cartoon, 9.35 Mister T. 1.25 am Reflections, CENTRAL As London except 9.25
9.35-10.00 Mister T. 1.30 am

YORKSHIRE As London except 9.35-10.00 Mieter T. 1.25 am

TSW As London except 9.25 am Carbon, 9.35-10.00 Mister T. 5.05 pm Newsport, 5.10 The Smurts-5.25-8.05 Krankles Klub, 10.15 Film Bidge Too Par, pair one, 12.10 am Movie Makers, 12.36 Postscript, Clesedown.

HTV WEST As London except: 9.25am Professor Kitzet 8.35-10.00 Mister T. 1.25am HTY WALES: No variations.

GRANADA As London except: 9.25 em Cartoon. 9.35-19.90 Mister T. 1.25 em Closedown.

SCOTTISH As London except 9.25em-9.30 Wattoo Wattoo. 1.25am Late Call. Closedown

BORDER As London except 9.25cm Certoon. 9.35-10.00 Mister T. 1.25cm Closedown.

ANGLIA As London except: Starts 9:30am-10:00 Fraggie Rock, 1.25am At The End of the Day,

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BBC 1 Waters: 1.00-1.5 am News of Waters. Scotland: 1.00-1.25 pm Landward. 6.25-6.30 Appeal (on behalf of the Scotlan Kidney Research Fund). 10.35-11.35 Beethoven's Eroica Symphony. James Loughran conducts the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra. 1.00-1.05 Scottish news summary and weather. Northern Ireland: 1.00-1.25 pm Farm View. 1.00-1.05 am Northern S4C 2.15 pm Union World. 2.45 Film: Three Men in a Boat (Lawrence Harvey), 4.20 Looks Famillar. 5.05 Trak Trix. 6.00 American Footbell. 7.15

Trix. 6.00 American Poorbell. 7.15 Newyddion Anaeth. 7.20 Newyddion. 7.25 Un Bardd, Dau Fedd. 7.35 Dyfroedd. Byw. 8.00 Gallw i Gof. 8.30 Dechrau Canu, Dechrau Cannol. 9.00 Ladybirds. 8.40 Playing Shakespeare. 10.40 Preview. 11.10 Film: Demon Barber of Flaet Street. 12.25 am Closedown.

SCOTTISH As London except: 9.25
am Australian Life, 9.30
Baby & Co. 10.00 Human Factor, 10.3011.00 Sunday Documentary, 11.3012.00 About Gastic. 1.00 pm Glen
Michael Cavalcede, 1.30 Farming
Outlook. 2.00 That's the Spirit. 2.30
Butch and Sundance – The Early Years.
4.30 Scotsport. 6.30 Protectors. 6.006.30 Buttseye, 11.15 Scottish National
Party Conference. 12.15 am Late Call,
Closedown.

TYNE TEES As London except: 9.25 am Morning
Glory, 9.30-10.00 Lnik, 11.00 Baby & Co.
11.25 Lookaround, 11.30-12.00 Batman,
1.90 pm Bygones, 1.30-2.06 Farming
Outlook, 3.15 Film: The Return of Frank
James, 5.30-6.30 Fatcons Cress, 11.15 Journey to the Unknown. 12.15 am

CENTRAL As London except: 9.25am Wattoo Wattoo. 9.30-10.00 About Britain. 1.00pm-2.00 Chips. 2.30 Big Match. 3.15-5.00 Film: Masquerade (Clif Robertson). 5.30-8.08 Falcon Crest. 11.15 Dateline Sunday. 12.15am Closedows. 12,15am Closedown. HTV WEST As London except: 9.25am Professor Kitzel 9.30-10.00 Vicky the Viking. 1.00pm Wild World of Animals, 1.30-

1.00ps wind world of Arminist 1.30-2.00 Farming Wales, 2.30 Big Match, 3.15-5.00 Film: Great Wallendas (Lloyd Bridges), 5.30-6.30 Magnum, 11.15 Mel Brooks, 12.20sm The Music Lines on – Buddy Holly, 12.35 Closedown, HTV WALES: No variation. ULSTER As London except. Starts 11,00am-11,30 Link. 1.00pm-2.00 Nature of things 2.20 Sig Match. 3.15-5.00 Film: Masquerade (Ciff Robertson). 5.30-5.30 Chips. 11.15 Naxt One Pleace. 2.10sm Sports results. 12.15 Naws. Closedown.

ANGLIA As London except: Starts 9.30 am-10.00 Once Upon a Time . . . Man. 1.00 pm Laurel and Hardy, 1.25 Weather, 1.30-2.00 Farming Diary, 2.30 Big Match, 3.15-5.00 Film: Blithe Spirit, Noel Coward's comedy, 5.30-6.30 Fall Guy, 11.15 Mei Procks. 12.15 am Window on the World CHANNEL As London except: 12.11 pm Starting Point. 12.15 Me and my Micro. 12.45-1.15 Getting on: 5.45-6.30 Bullsaye, 11.15 Devlin Connection. 12.18 am

YORKSHIRE As London except 9.25em Link. 11.00
Baby & Co. 11.30-12.00 Farming Diary.
1,00pps-1.15 Smuris. 2.30-5.00 Film:
Reach for the Sky' (Kenneth More).
5.30-6.30 Return of the Saint. 11.15 Mel

Brooks, 12.15am Five Minutes,

TSW As London except: Starts 9.30am-10.00 Link, 11.09 Baby 6 Co. 11.25 Look and See, 11.30-12.00 South West Week, 1.00pm Gardens for All, 1.30 Holiday Happenings, 1.50-2.00 Cartoon, 2.30 Big Match, 2.15-5.89 Film Rivton Bounty Hunter, 5.39-6.30 Ratum of the Saint, 11.15 Film: Bridge Too Far. Part 2, 12.25am Postscript, Closedown.

TVS As London except 9.25 am
Action Line, 9.30-10.00 Beby &
Co. 11.30-12.00 Farm Focus, 1.00 pm1.15 Agenda, 2.00 Bulleyey, 2.30 Fish:
Blue Max, 5.25 Survival, 5.55 News,
6.00-6.30 Human Factor, 11.15 Mel

By Craig Seton

A public inquiry is to be held into the outbreak of salmonella poisoning at the Stanley Royd Hospital, in Wakefield, where 27 patients have died in the past three weeks, Mr Norman Fowler, Secretary of State for Health and Social Security announced yesterday.

Mr Fowler said Sir Jack Smart, chairman of the Wakefield Health Authority, had agreed an inquiry should be held, and added; "It has always to establish the full facts surrounding the outbreak and what lesson can be learnt from

The terms of reference, name of the chairman and the date of the inquiry will be announced

More than 350 patients and staff have been affected by the salmonella outbreak, which led to allegations and counter allegations about conditions at the hospital, especially in the

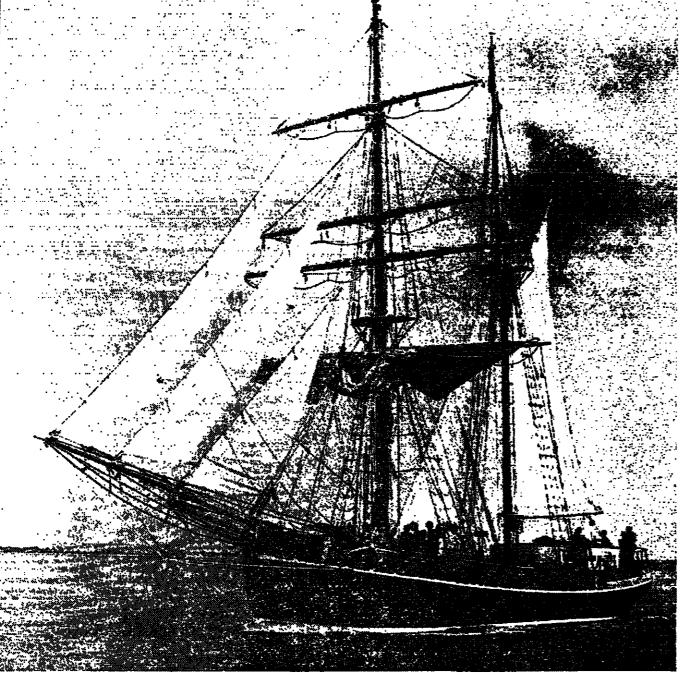
Calls for a public inquiry increased after a health official said that roast beef for a salad tea had become contaminated and was left out for ten hours on a hot day, making it the vehicle by which the infection spread. That was denied by trade unions.

Sir Jack said yesterday that the first priority had been to control the outbreak and stop the spread of the infection. A local inquiry will still go ahead

Eight people were still suffer-ing symptoms of food posioning and three were seriously ill vesterday. All deaths at the hospital since the outbreak began have been reported to the coroner, but it is expected that some of the 27 will be found to have died from other causes.

Food poisoning in the United Kingdom has increased at least threefold in the past 10 vears and many more cases go unrecorded, Mr George Lawson, national officer of the Hotel and Catering Workers Union, said yesterday.

The union concerned about 25 million days lost annually from food poisoning, wants to board believes that it is now see better training and information for catering managers make their views known to their and staff, better enforcement of hygiene laws, and an end to the the opportunity to do this for spread of cook-chill methods of far too long. All the pits are community catering.



Sailing by: The brigantine Zebu arriving at Southampton in preparation for a round-the-world voyage with 4,000 young people taking part in Operation Raleigh (Photograph: Jonathan Eastland).

Coal talks collapse over closures

Continued from page 1 6: Continued high investment by the NCB - between £700m and £800m was planned in

1984-85." The board is to do all it can to inform its 180,000 pit men of the conditions on which the

industry can return to work. Mr MacGregor added: "The time for the mineworkers to leaders. They have been denied

talks, giving details of the closures had passed before reaching the final version on which the two sides broke

Mr MacGregor argued that the union had originally agreed with the first paragraph of the formula, but had yesterday reneged on that agreement.

The pit closure formula they broke down on said: "It is

The board gave a blow-by- agreed that since the advent of in line with their responsi-blow account of the six days of Plan for Coal there have been bilities. with a basis for various stages through which fall within the definition of the controversial clause on pit exhaustion or safety, and in accordance with the principles of the plan, it is acknowledged that this procedure will continue to apply.

> "In the case of a colliery where a report of an examination by the respective NCB negotiators had agreed that the and NUM qualified mining board had a responsibility for engineers establishes there are running the industry but would no further reserves which can be not accept that in writing as part developed to provide the board. of a settlement.

colliery closures which do not continuing operations, there will be agreement between the board and the union that such a colliery will be deemed exhaus-

Mr MacGregor ruled out a coal board ballot of the pit men, arguing that the union should consult its members. He was clearly irritated that the miners'

Postmaster is shot dead in cash raid

aged 61, was shot dead and his 56-year-old wife brutally bat-tered over the head by a gang of armed men who raided their village store yesterday.

· A massive murder hunt was mounted after the gang roared off in a gold-coloured Mercedes from the post office in Copper-mill Road, Wraysbury, close to Heathrow airport.

The post-master, Mr Puran Singh Vig. and his wife Gursharan, were alone in the store when the raiders burst in brandishing shotguns. When the couple refused to hand over money Mr Vig was shot in the head. His terrified wife staggered from the shop with blood streaming from her wounds.

Three men were believed to be responsible for the attack. They made off at high speed towards Staines, Middlesex. Police brought in a helicopter to search for the getaway

Detectives have set up an incident room in a bairdresser's shop next to the post office. The stores were closed while forensic experts exmained the area. A second incident room has been set up at Slough Police Station. The murder hunt is being beaded by Det Sup David Freeland and Det Chief Inspector John Childer-

ley.
Mr Freeland yesterday appealed for witnesses who saw a gold-coloured Mercedes saloon car, possibly a late 1970s model parked or driving in the vicinity of the premises last reek, to contact the murder incident room.

He said he was not in a position to reveal whether anything had been taken during

Two of the raiders were described as being between 19 and 24 years old and were between 5ft 6 and 5ft 8ins tall. According to police, one had short straight blond hair and was wearing a light grey cloth jacket. The other was described as having dark curly hair and wearing a navy blue jacket.

The armed raid was the

fourth attack on post offices in the Thames Valley this week.
Last Monday, £30,000 was
snatched when thieves stole a post office van in Datchet. On Wednesday, a post master was stabbed by an armed raider in Sunningdale, Berkshire. On Thursday, armed thieves attacked a sub postt office in Bracknell.

High Court tussle

Who owns bones of Edward the Martyr?

A bag oil old bones, tenevent to be the last mortal remains of Edward the Martyr. English Saxon king and saint, must reside in the purgatorial transit lounge of a bank vault a little longer before finding their last Christian resting place, a High Court judge

nuicd vesterday. Mr Justice Nourse dismissed an application for an injunction to prevent the remains being handed over today to a sect of the Russian Orthodox Church, which has been preparing to enshrine the relics with suitable ceremony in a converted Anglican church at Brookwood, Surrey. But the judge ordered the bones to be returned to the safekeeping of the Midland Bank in Croydon immediately

after the ceremony until a full court hearing can establish who, if anyone, they really belong to. More than 200 guests had been invited to today's ser-

vice, planned as a final enshrinement of the 1,006year-old bones. As the case was being heard Bishop Gregory, secretary of the Synod of Bishops of the Russian Orthodox Church outside Russia, was already

airborne for Heathrow with a party of 30 Orthodox elerics from their New York base. The Archbishop of Canter-bury. Dr Robert Runcic, declined his invitation to the service, as did members of the Roman Catholic clergy.

According to legend Edward, who reigned from AD 972 to 978, was murdered near Corfe Castle in Dorset at the behest of his stepmother to make way for her natural son, Ethelred the Unready. He was subsequently buried in Shaftesbury Abbey, Dorset.

Expert examination of the bones in 1970 is said to have found evidence in keeping with the legendary manner of Edward's death: dragged along the ground with his foot caught in a stirrup, and knifed in the back.

In medieval times, magical properties ascribed to the relics led to his elevation to sainthood, although he was never officially canonized.

At the heart of the matter lies a dispute between two brothers, whose mother

A bag of old bones, believed owned Shaftesbury Abbey when the remains were discovered in an archaeological dig in 1932.

> Mr John Wilson Claridge, aged 79, who now lives in Malta and was in court yesterday claims he is sole owner of the bones. He says he offered them to the Russian Orthodox Church only after the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches had declined to accept them for

> His brother, Colonel Geoffrey Claridge, aged 81, who was not in court but who brought yesterday's action. claims he is joint owner under the terms of their mother's will, and wants the bones replaced in Shaftesbury Abbey. He is supported by the local town council and a large body of local public opinion.

Mr Colin Braham, QC, representing Colonel Claridge, was critized by the judge for bringing the action so late in the day, and for baving an illprepared case.

Mr Adrian Brunner, QC. representing his brother and the Orthodox Church, argued that even if ownership was in dispute, today's ceremony was at such an advanced stage of planning that it ought to go ahead; the bones could always be returned if a full court hearing went against them.

The judge feared that the bones might not be properly guarded, particularly after an admission by Archimandrite Alexis, head of the Orthodox sect at Brookwood, that his church had been broken into one already.

Mr Wilson Claridge expressed satisfaction at the outcome of the hearing, but the Orthodox church sect has been robbed of the opportunity to conduct a full service of enshrinement at today's ceremony.

Solicitors representing Colonel Claridge expressed equal satisfaction that the full panoply of dedication of the reliquary had been denied the St Edward Brotherhood of the Russian Orthodox Church outside Russia which, it was disclosed in court, has a membership of two.

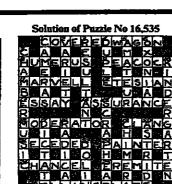
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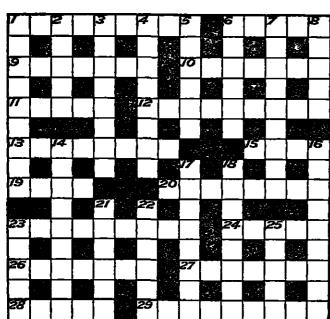
A prize of The Times Atlas of the World (comprehensive edition) will be given for the first three correct solutions opened next Thursday. Entries should be addressed to: The Times. Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be published next Saturday. The winners of last Saturday's competition are: Mr J. R Clube, Leatherhead Road, Great Bookham, Surrey: Mrs G. Lenox-Smith, Brackenfel, Rabley Heath, Welwyn, Hertfordshire; Mr P. J. Granidge, 106 Bar Lane, Basford, Nottingham.

- I Can stores change what we all 6 Only diamonds cover her (5). Lot about to dress the ship (7). 10 Locked! Charlotte may be back
- 11 Neat point in class (5).
- 13 Elected one in a county takes over (8). 15 Standard for a stone (4).
- 20 Paper stamp for muslin (8). 23 A William in the plot is a hanger-on (9).

 24 Drank hard back in military HQ

 17 Became enlarged, we hear, and rather horrible (8).
- 26 Absconded with wine as plunder
- 29 Believers about or speculators

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,536



DOWN

1 A deliberate pretence to lose at

love (9). Agreement to mark time (5). Wild ants? Not one in a tin-mine

4 Hams finished by stray cats (8). 5 Bit like coming up with the

shown the way round before (6).

7 Went out around the interval and drove off (9).

8 Universal in approach to ale (5).

14 Dignified treble, perhaps (4-5).

16 Be not afraid of it, read Malvolio

18 The artist wins at any time (8).

21 Religious garment on some in New York – capital! (6).

25 Goody-goody (5).

governor (6). 6 Glanced sideways,

ACROSS .

- 12 Humiliation at entertaining cads
- 19 Name the chief Indian snake (4).
- Poet's to take the cork out, holds
 Love to be tedious (7).

 Irishman growing rice (5).

 22 Party principles showing the right thing (6).

 23 Make sharp the drinks are up 28 Irishman growing rice (5).

CONCISE CROSSWORD, PAGE 16

Today's events

Royal engagements Princess Margaret attends a concert by the Scottish Fiddle Orchestra at Kelvin Hall. Glasgow, in aid of the Royal Scottish Society for Prevention of Cruchy Children, of which she is president,

Music Concert by the Essex Youth Orchestra and Trevor Williams (violin), Chelmsford Cathedral, (violin), 7.30. Organ recital by Ian Tracey, Liverpool Anglican Cathedral, 4.30.

Concert by Lichfield Cathedral Chamber Choir, Tamworth Parish Church, 7.30.
Concert by The Holburne Group,

College Hall, Worcester, 7.30.
Concert by The Academy of St. Olave. St. Olave's Church, Marygate, York, 8.
The Music of Elgar and his Friends by The Broadleath Singers, School Hall Eten College. School Hall, Eton College, 8.

General Book Fair, United Reformed Church, Norfolk Street, Sheffield, Battle of Britain open day and flying display, RAF Abingdon, Oxfordshire, 9.30 to 6.30.

Book market, Town Hall, Ash-burton, Devon, 10.30 to 4. Tomorrow

Music

Recital by Jane Manning (Soprano), Alexander Baillie (cello) and John McCabe (piano), Glasgow University, 8.
Concert by The Lavenham Sinfonia, Lavenham Church, Suffolk, 6.30.

Recital of music for violincello by Marun Court, Liverpool Anglican Cathedral, 8. Concert by Southern Youth Chamber Orchestra, Christ's Hospital Arts Centre, Horsham, West Sussex. 8.

General

Antiques fair, County Hotel, Peebles, Borders, 11 to 5. Bitton transport rally, Bitton railway centre, Willsbridge, Bristol, Museum of Flight open day, East Fortune Airfield, North Berwick, East Lothian, 10 to 4, (ends

Anniversaries

TODAY: Born: Sophia Dorothea, wife of George, Elector of Hanover and later George I of England, Brunswick - Celle, 1666; James Fenimore Cooper, novelist, author of Last of the Mohicans. Burlington, New Jersey, 1789. Deaths: William Huskisson, statesman, killed when he stepped in front of a train at the ne stepped in front of a train at the opening of the Manchester to Liverpool railway, 1830; Isambard Kingdom Brunet, engineer, designer of Clifton suspension bridge and the steamship "Great Britain", now a museum piece in Bristol Docks, Westminster, 1859. TOMORROW: Births: Thomas Barnes, Editor of *The Times* 1817-41 London, 1785.

In the garden

If sets of Unwins First Early Onion are planted now, or indeed up to the end of November, good solid onions weighing on average six ounces or more are ready to harvest in June or July. Some bulbs weigh Ilb and over. The earlier they are planted. 4 to 6ins apart in rows about 12ins apart, the larger will be

Some people just push the sets, the little bulbs - into the soil. I prefer to just cover them with soil is birds often pull out if they are visible.

Daffodils and small bulbs, such as crocuses. scillas, muscari and ehionodoxas, need a long growing season to give of their best and should be planted this month or nexL

Gardens open

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Tomorrow Buckinghamshire: Campden Cottage, 51 Clifton Road, Chesham Bois, N of Amersham; ½ acre derelect garden restored since 1971; plantsmans garden of year round interest, rare and unusual plants; P; 2 to 6 also open Oct 7. Devore Vicar's Mead, Hayes Lane, East Budleigh, 2m N of Budleigh Salterton, off A376 Newton Poppleton-Budleigh-Salterton road; 3 acress, large collection of strubs and plants; P; 2 to 6. Worcestershire: Bernards Green House, 10 Poolbrook Fload, Malvern, on E side of Malvern at junction of B4211 and B4208; herbecaous, rock garden, heathers, woodlend and water gardens; 2 to 8. Oxfordshire: Evelegh's, High Street, Long Wittenham, 4m NE of Didoct long narrow 1 acre garden; informal woodland, herbeceous, shrubs, roses, alpines in scres; 2 to 6. Powyer. The Hill Cottage, Bausley, Crew Green, 8m NE of Welshpoot, new garden 1 acre, alpine, shrubs, conifers, P; 11 to 6. Hampshire: Mill Court, Alton, on S side of A31. 3m NE of Alton; herbaceous, and rose, good collection of shrubs, fine autumn colour; 2 to 5; also open Sept 23. Somerset: Wooton House, Budeigh Wooton, 3m. S of Gasstonbury; of historical and botanical interest, roses, shrubs, herbaceous, rock and woodland gardens; 2 to 5.30.

OTHER DAYS, Hampshire: Mecpenny Nurseries, Burley Road, Bransgore, midway between Christchurch and Burley; 12 acres, gravel pit converted to woodland garden, many unusual and rare plants, fine autumn colour: P; open every day, Mon to Fri 8 to 12.30 and 1.30 to 5; Sat 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. Sun 2 to 5. Yorkshire: Newby Hall Ripon; 25 acres, including small seasonal gardens – rose garden, autumn garden, rock garden; reputedly longest double herbaceous borders; 11 to 5.30 every day except Mon until Sept 30. Surrey: Winkworth Arboreturn, Hascombe Road, God-alming: 95 acres of hillside planted with rare trees and shrubs; 2 acres, many wild birds; open daily dawn to dusk.

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flow along Coleshill by-pass. Wales and the West: (Devon): Lane closures on both carriageways between Exeter and Plymouth at Marsh Mills viaduct. A55 (Clywd): Contraflow on Llandulais by-pass between Chester and Colwyn Bay.

Roadworks on Leadgate by-pass. A54 (Cheshire): Restricted width on east-bound carriageway between Tarvin and Kelsall. Scotland: A98 (Morayshire):

North: A691/A692 (Co Durham):

Single lane at Inchgower Bridge.
A74 (Lanarkshire): One carriageway closed between B740 and
Abington. A977 (Kinross): Single lane between Powmill and Rumbling Bridge.

Portfolio

For readers who may have missed a copy of *The Times* this week, we repeat below the week's Portfolio price changes (today's are on page 26).

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Weather

A ridge of high pressure over Britain will move E. Britain Will move the Eng. Lake N Wales, NW and NE Eng. Lake

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Central Highlands, Moray Firth, Argyli, NE and NW Scotland: Rather cloudy, outbreaks of rain or drizzle; wind SW to W, moderate or fresh; max temp 15 to 17C (59 to 63F).

Orkney and Shetlandt Cloudy, occasional rain or drizzle; wind variable becoming S, light or moderate; max temp 13 to 15C (55 to 59F).

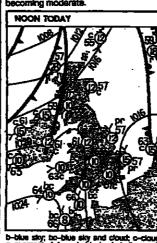
Northern Ireland: Rather cloudy, a little rain at times becoming heavier in the evening; wind SW to W, moderate; max temp 16 to 18C (61 to 64F).

Outbook for tomorow and Monday: Dry in the S at first, otherwise showers or longer outbreaks of rain. Becoming cooler.

SEA PASSAGES: S North Sea,

cooler.

SEA PASSAGES: S North Sea, Straits of Dover, English Channel (E): Wind NW moderate or fresh, locally strong at first, showers; visibility good; sea moderate, locally rough at first. St George's Channel, Irish Sea: Wind SW light increasing moderate or fresh, mainty fair, visibility good becoming moderate or poor; sea smooth, becoming moderate.



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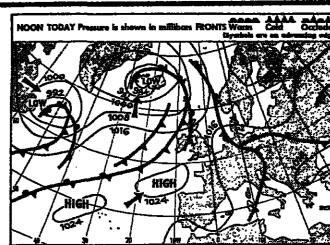
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London 7.43 pm to 6.09 am
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Manchester 7.52 pm to 6.31 am Yesterday

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Highest and lowest Highest day temp: Weytnouth and Finningley 21C (70F); lowest day max: Fair lefe 12C (54F); highest raintalt: Hartland 1.25m; highest sensitive; lefe of Scite 8.5tm.



High tides High tides

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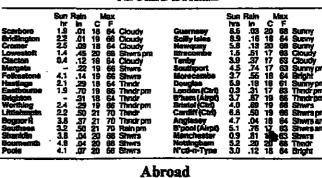
TODAY 7.15 pm Moon rises: 9.10 pm Last Quarter: September 18

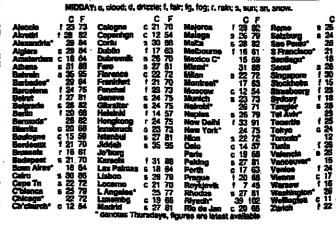
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